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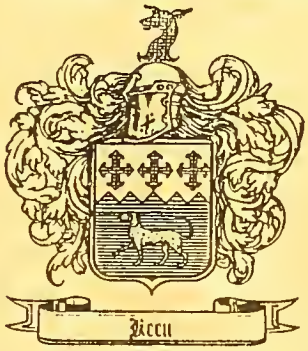

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KEEN HEADS OF FAMILY

GENERATION		
1.	JOHN KEEN b. ca. 1578 England d. 14 Nov. 1649 buried Duxbury, MA	MARTHA ? b. ca. 1578 England d. 1638 (60) no further information
2.	JOSIAH KEEN b. ca. 1621 London, England d. probably 1710 will probated DUXBURY	(1) ABIGAIL WARREN LITTLE b. ca. 1634 Plymouth, MA., d. ca. 1654 Marshfield, MA (JOSIAH jr) (2) Hannah Dingley - 7 children — no further details
3.	JOSIAH KEEN jr b. ca. 1665 Marshfield, MA. d. 23 Dec. 1732 Pembroke, MA	LYDIA BAKER b. 18 Feb. 1659 Duxbury, MA d. ca. 1752
4.	NATHANIEL KEEN b. 11 Nov. 1692 in Duxbury, MA d. 20 Jan. 1784 Pembroke	THANKFUL WINSLOW b. 2 Feb. 1696 Marshfield, MA. d. (unknown)
5.	JOSHUA KEEN b. 13 Dec. 1730 Pembroke, MA. d. 10 Feb. 1823 Hebron, ME	ABIGAIL EAMES b. 15 NOV. 1736 Framingham, MA. d. 25 Oct. 1823 Hebron, ME
6.	JOSHUA KEEN jr b. 23 Jun. 1758 in Pembroke, MA d. 19 Dec. 1818 Poland, Maine (buried Highland Cemetery)	LYDIA CROOKER b. 24 Mar. 1763 Pembroke, MA d. 11 May 1846 Poland, Maine (buried Highland Cemetery)
7.	SETH KEEN b. 03 Jul. 1787 Hebron, ME d. 16 Feb. 1841 Poland, ME	SALLY ROWE b. 23 Sep. 1791 Sumner, ME d. 1876 Poland, ME
8.	SETH KEEN jr b. 17 Aug. 1815 in Hebron ME d. 23 Jan. 1907 Poland, ME	SUSAN FERNALD EMERY b. 14 Sep. 1818 Poland, ME d. 11 Feb. 1898 Poland, ME
9.	JOSEPH ROSCOE KEEN b. 01 Jun 1847 Poland Spring, ME d. 21 July 1925 Somerville, MA buried Everett, MA	MARY S. DOUGHTY b. 10 Mar. 1851 Veazie, ME d. 28 Aug. 1925 Bangor, ME buried Woodland Cemetery in Everett, MA
10.	EDWARD SETH KEEN b. 01 Oct. 1884 Somerville, MA d. 23 Nov. 1911 Everett, Ma. buried Woodland Cemetery, Everett, MA	BESSIE MAY TOWLE b. 02 Apr. 1885 Somerville, MA d. 22 Oct. 1950 (Smith) Lexington, MA buried at Glendale Cemetery, Everett, MA
11.	ERNEST HOWARD KEEN b. 03 Oct. 1904 Everett, MA d. 28 Jan. 1979 Madison Twp. OH (Dayton) buried Memorial Park (Dayton)	HANNAH LILIAN SMALL (Nancy) b. 15 Dec. 1903 Lewisporte, NFLD, Canada d. 08 Sep. 1992 Brookline, MA buried Gethsemane Cem. W. Roxbury, MA
12.	ROBERT ROGER KEEN b. 03 Jul, 1937 Everett, MA	BEVERLY ANN SMITH b. 09 Jun. 1933 Orange, CA m. 08 Dec. 1956 Santa Ana, CA
13.	WILLIAM ROBERT KEEN b. 06 May 1960 Dayton, OH	1. PAMELA KAY NELSON b. 21 Jan. 1961 Dayton, OH 2. TERESA LYNN KAY b. 24 Jun. 1962 Maysville, KY
14.	STEVEN THOMAS KEEN b. 11 Nov. 1989 Dayton, OH	

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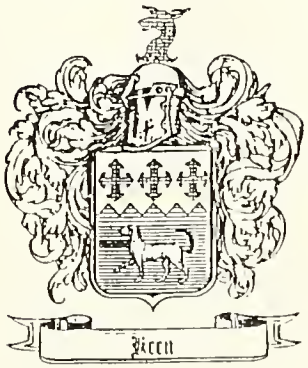

SONS OF THE AMERICAN REVOLUTION
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MASSACHUSETTS
RICHARD MONTGOMERY CHAPTER
DAYTON, OHIO
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August 1995

Dear KEEN descendants,

When my brother Don and I embarked on our first genealogy trip in 1989, I never dreamed that we would find so much information regarding the Keen family. After that trip -- in which much information was learned -- our trips to Virginia, Massachusetts, Maine, New Brunswick, Nova Scotia, Newfoundland, Ontario and then Toronto in Canada, revealed much more than we expected. We then went back to Las Vegas where Don is living at this time.

There were many revelations to us. Our mother's name, birthdate, and birthplace, was different. Our father's name and birthdate was different. A brother was named Junior, but did not have the same name as our father, another brother's name was different, a sister's birthdate was wrong on her birth certificate, and other anomalies were found. When we returned home, we put together what information we had and it was plenty. However, I caught the genealogy bug and have since gone back to Massachusetts, Maine and environs many times for further information.

This book contains most of the information learned, however, much else has been learned but it is too lengthy to put in this book. I found articles about the early Keens in New England and Maine in several publications. I have copied them for my personal genealogy library. When you read through this, you will find that you had at least two g-grandfathers that participated in the American Revolution and you will see that you are descended from a MAYFLOWER passenger, Richard Warren and that you can join the Sons (or) Daughters of the American Revolution and the Society of Mayflower Descendants. Just think about it. Your ancestors were in on the founding of this country! I was thrilled. I realize all of you won't feel my zeal for this lineage investigation, however, maybe your descendants will be interested. I am sending all my children, siblings, nieces and nephews and a few cousins a copy of this book. Please handle it with care. I put a lot of work into the gathering of this information. I left blank pages following each current generation for you to put in your own notes, birth, marriage, or death certificates.

I hired a certified genealogist in England, attempting to learn more about the Keen(e) family before they came to America. What was learned is in this book. I have actual copies of wills, diaries, birth and death certificates, etc. My thanks to my Aunt Violet Augustus who gave me all the photos and information about Edward Seth Keen (her father). I will miss her. Read it carefully and enjoy it as I do. Copies of this book will be sent to the libraries and to the genealogy organizations that I checked with and other sources. Our family is now historically listed in many places.

R R Keen

ROBERT ROGER KEEN

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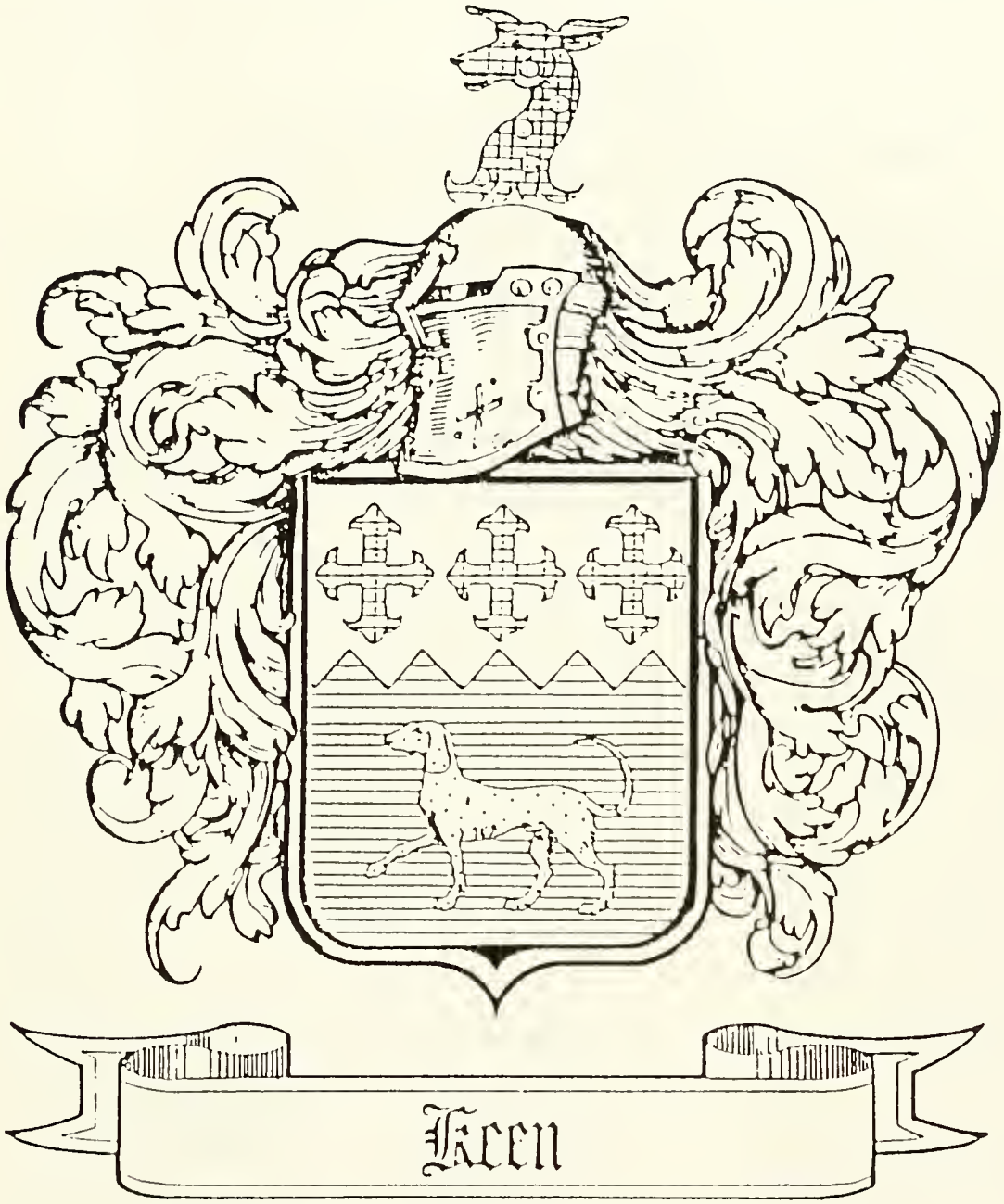

THE KEEN COAT OF ARMS HEREBY ILLUSTRATED IS OFFICIALLY DOCUMENTED IN BURKE'S GENERAL ARMORY. THE ORIGINAL DESCRIPTION OF THE ARMS (SHIELD) IS AS FOLLOWS:

"AZ. A TALBOT PASS. OR, ON A CHIEF INDENTED AR. THREE CROSSES FLORY SA."

WHEN TRANSLATED THE BLAZON ALSO DESCRIBES THE ORIGINAL COLORS OF THE KEEN ARMS AS:

"BLUE; EMBLAZONED WITH A PASSING, GOLD, FLOPPY-EARED HUNTING DOG; UNDER A SILVER CHIEF, THE DIVIDING LINE OF WHICH IS INDENTED AND ON WHICH ARE CHARGED THREE BLACK CROSSES, THE BRANCHES OF WHICH TERMINATE IN A FLOWERED SHAPE."

ABOVE THE SHIELD AND HELMET IS THE CREST WHICH IS DESCRIBED AS:

"A BLACK DEER'S HEAD, CHARGED WITH GOLD BYZANTINE COINS AND TORN JAGGEDLY FROM ITS BODY."

KEEN

KEEN KEENE KEAN KEANE KANE KEENER
KENE KEIN CANE CAIN KAIN

All of the above spellings of the name *Keen* were found in various records, documents, and other writings during my search of our genealogical roots. *A DICTIONARY OF BRITISH SURNAMES by P.H. Rainey states;* "These names may be of Celtic, English or Norman origin. The forms Cain, Cane or Kain or Kayne are not derived from the Biblical character *Cain,* whose reputation was too unsavory to inspire surnames, but are local in origin from the French city of *Caen,* in northwestern France, near the English Channel. The Gaelic *ceann* meant a 'a chieftain, leader'; *kean* also denoted a bard or a singer. The Old English cēne (pronounced 'keen') signified 'knowing, bold.' *Keener* may be occupational, from the ancient Irish *keener,* the professional mourner at funerals, who 'keened' the virtues of the deceased. *Kane* and *Kayne* are sometimes from the Norman-French *quene* and *quesne* ('an oak')."

In *"THESE NAMES OF OURS"* by Dellaquest on p. 181, is the following, " Keen, Keene, Keens, Keenes: Ricardus *filius Kene* 1188 P (D); Alexander *filius Kene* 1202 AssL; Adam, Hugo *Kene* 1207 Cur (Sf), 1221 AssWo; Richard *le Lene* 1297 MinAcctCo (O). *Kene* is a short form of OE names in *Cēn-* or *Cyne* –, such as survive in *Kenward, Kenway, Kerrick,* etc. *le Kene* is OE *cēne,* ME *kene* 'wise, brave, proud'."

From "A dictionary of English and Welsh surnames" by Bardsley p. 440

Kenn, Koen, Koene, Keane, Kene.—(1) Nick. 'the keen,' the sharp, the quick, the eager. (2) Local. 'of St. Keyne,' a parish in co. Cornwall, near Liskeard, from St. Kayne, or Keyne, a saint of the 5th century. The nick. is undoubtedly the chief parent; cf. Quick, Snell, Sharp, &c.

Hugh le Kene, co. Oxf., 1273. A. Reginald le Kene, co. Bucks, Ibid. William le Kene, co. Bucks, Ibid. Simon de Kyne, co. York, Edw. I-Edw. III. R.
Thomas Kene, co. Somt., 1 Edw. III; Kirby's Quest, p. 109.
Gilbertus Kene, 1170; P. T. Yorks. p. 17.
Willelmus Kene, 1179; Ibid. p. 19.
Robertus Kene, 1179; Ibid. p. 28.
1587. William Kine, co. Dorset (= Keyne): Reg. Univ. Oxf. vol. II. pt. II. p. 159.
1598. Married—Richarde Elsdale and Hester Keane: St. Michael, Cornhill, p. 16.
1617. — John Keene and Katherine Andrews: Ibid p. 21.
1681. Buried — Thomas Keyne: Ibid. p. 263.
London, 21, 35, 20, 0, 0; New York, 14, 4, 6, 21, 2.

REF: NEW WORLD DICTIONARY OF THE AMERICAN LANGUAGE

keen[1] (kēn) *adj.* [ME. *kene* < OE. *cene,* wise, learned, akin to G. *kühn,* bold < IE. base **ĝen-,* to know, understand, whence KNOW; the material senses spring from the basic notion "capable"] 1. having a sharp edge or point; that can cut well *(a keen* knife, a *keen* edge*)* 2. sharp or cutting in force; piercing *(a keen* appetite, a *keen* wind*)* 3. sharp and quick in seeing, hearing, thinking, etc.; acute *(keen* eyes, a *keen* intelligence*)* 4. sharp-witted; mentally acute; shrewd 5. eager; enthusiastic; much interested 6. strongly felt or perceived; intense; strong *(keen* desire, a *keen* scent*)* ☆7. [Slang] good, fine, excellent, etc.: a generalized term of approval —*SYN.* see EAGER, SHARP —keen'ly *adv.* — keen'ness *n.*

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THE MOST NUMEROUS SURNAMES FROM NICKNAMES (Chapters 12–17)

DESCRIPTIVE

2050	Brown/e	190	Small, Smale
1000	White	185	Crisp, Cripps (curly haired)
1000	Green/e*		
1180	Read/e, Reed, Reid (red)	180	Whitehead
800	Gray, Grey	170	Pollard [short haired]
700	Black, Blake	160	Wild/e
550	Sharp/e	160	Good/e
500	Long, Lang	145	Moody, Mudie (brave)
300	Bright, Burt	130	Blythe, Bligh, Bly
270	Keen, Kean/e	130	Ballard (bald)
260	Armstrong	120	Stark/e, Starkey [inflexible]
250	Pratt [cunning]		
250	Dunn/e (dark)	115	Strong, Strang
245	Fry/e (free)	110	Crook (crooked)
210	Hear/e	110	Swift
210	Smart	110	Gay
200	Wise	100	Turnbull [strong]
200	Beard, Baird	100	Blackman
195	Short	100	Snell (bold)

The words used to describe personal bravery are mostly so old that they have changed their meaning since they were first used as commendation for fighting men. *Stark* meant hard and inflexible, and *Stern* much the same. *Snell* was brave in a quick, dashing style. *Sharp* and *Keen* both referred at first to the sharp weapon, but were soon applied also to the man who wielded it. *Smart* meant fierce in the sense of inflicting pain. As with the last two words the meaning was associated with the weapon ('an arrow keen and smarte') as well as the man responsible for it ('the Sarazin was keene and smarte'), but there was also a noun 'smart' referring to the pain so caused. As times became less savage the fierce quality of these three words was moderated to mean only courageous, or mentally keen, sharp and smart, and in the case of the last the modern American usage expresses this development much better than the modern English which has become mixed up, most unsuitably, with clothes and fashion. But when our forbears first acquired these same words as names they were still close in thought to the sharp edges and smarting wounds.

FIRST KEEN FAMILY IN AMERICA

JOHN KEEN / MARTHA ?

b. c. 1578
p. England (London?)
d. November 14, 1649
buried Duxbury, MA

b. c. 1578
p. England (London)
d. 1638 (60 years old)
Very little information on Martha, unknown where she died or where buried or maiden name

Planters of the Commonwealth (by Charles Edward Banks) states "PASSENGERS and SHIPS P. 197" and the following "Confidence of London, two hundred tons, John Gibson*, Master. She sailed from Southhampton the last of April, by vertue of the Lord Treasurers warrant of the 11th of April, 1638."
There are many passengers listed in no particular order -- some including occupation and home area and sometimes relationship to each other. Our particular lineage lists Martha Keene 60, Elizabeth Keene 13, Martha Keene, Josias Keene, John Keene 17, and Sarah Keene.*

There is no evidence that John Keen(e) was aboard that ship. The ship docked in Boston and accounts state that they "settled in Hengham (Hingham) and late to Duxbury." John Keen(e) is mentioned as a mariner and sometime innkeeper. I have checked all known avenues of information in Hingham, including their microfilmed documents in the library and I was unable to find any mention of any of the Keen(e) family as ever having lived in Hingham. There is ample evidence that they lived in Duxbury, Marshfield and Pembroke, all bordering Hingham.

The particulars on the children of John Keen and Martha. According to Hezekiah Keen's family account, all were born on London Bridge.

JOSIAH KEEN

b. circa 1621
p. London Bridge, England
d. Will probated September 15, 1710 - buried Duxbury, MA
m. 1. Abigail Warren Little 1654 in Duxbury

2. Hannah Dingley in Duxbury c. 1658-61

MARTHA KEEN

b.
p. London Bridge, England
d.

m. by 1646 to John Shaw of Boston, MA

SARAH KEEN

b.
p. London Bridge, England
d.

m. No marriage or death record found

JOHN KEEN jr

b. c. 1621
p. London Bridge, England
d. July 9, 1665 buried in Marshfield, MA

ELIZABETH KEEN

b. c. 1625
p. London Bridge, England
d. No death or marriage record found

We are following the lineage of JOSIAH KEEN (G2)

* "Passengers to America" by Tepper p. 126 is the same list as above, but lists John Johson, Master (not Gibson). Other sources: Mayflower Descendant 28:1, Pioneers of Mass., p. 265 and Savage Genealogical Dictionary V-3.

HINGHAM HISTORIES

THE BELOW LISTED IS THE ONLY RECORD MENTIONING A KEEN (KEINE) IN THE TIME FRAME (1638) IN WHICH JOHN KEEN SETTLED IN HINGHAM, MA.

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NOTE C, TO PAGE 15.

Extract from the account of "disbursements paid out of the Towne rate for the Towne's use" in the year 1662.

To Lieutenant Hudson for Mr. Hubberds expense at the Synod	£02 14 10
To Lieutenant Hudson for our deputyes dyet for two sessions in the yeare 1662	05 10 00
To Joshua Beale for maintenance of the drum	01 00 00
To Steven Lincoln for maintenance of ye drum	00 10 00
To John Stodder and Joseph Church for worke done about the scoole house	01 11 00
To Rich: Wood in part of pay for the worke about ye pulpit	00 05 09
To Goodman Pitts for ringing the bell and sweeping the meeting house	02 00 00
Paid to William Woodcocke for time when he was pressed for a souldier	00 05 00
Paid to Goodm: Sprague for wheat and butter for Goody Keine	00 02 01

NO OTHER REFERENCE TO ANY KEEN IN THE 1600'S WAS LOCATED IN HINGHAM RECORDS. THAT IS NOT TO SAY THERE ARE NO OTHER RECORDS. THIS WAS ALL I COULD FIND AFTER A DILIGENT SEARCH THROUGH THE LIBRARY MICROFILMED ARCHIVES.

Robert R. Keen Dayton, Ohio 1991

HINGHAM, MASSACHUSETTS REFERENCES OF THE NAME KEEN FOUND IN PRINT.

KEEN, JOHN m. first in Hingham Aug. 28, 1755, Kezia Lincoln, daughter of Isaac and Kezia (Stone) Lincoln. She was b. in Hingham Apr. 3, 1733 and d. 15 April 1756, aet 23 years. He afts took a sec. w. whose chris. name was Jerusha. Resided on Lincoln St., but removed from here about 1762 or soon after.

KEEN -- Kezia mentioned again in genealogy of Isaac Lincoln of Hingham, identifying Kezia as his daughter with the same information as above.

GARDNER -- Warren (Steven 5-4-3-2 John 1) b. in Hingham Nov. 3, 1791, m. April 16, 1811, BETSY KEEN, daughter of Isaiah and Lydia (Bourne) KEEN of Pembroke. She was b. at Pembroke March 9, 1790 and d. in Hing. 28, June 1880. aet 90 years. He d. April 1871, aet 80th year. Resided at "Liberty Plain" S. Hingham.

The only other reference found was the bill of sale at the left re "Goody Keine" (1662).

The above information was the only mention of KEEN found in Hingham history books. Since we are looking for a Keen in Hingham about 1638 or later until about 1655 when JOSIAH KEEN jr (the first of our lineage born in America) it is apparent that John Keen nor his children took up permanent residence in Hingham, but early on moved to Duxbury, Marshfield and Pembroke and established themselves.

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LISTS OF PLYMOUTH AND RHODE ISLAND COLONIES
COMPRISING COLONIAL, COUNTY AND TOWN
OFFICERS, ETC. 1621-1700
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TOWN OFFICERS. 55

MARSHFIELD.

Date.	GRAND JURYMEN.	SURVEYORS OF HIGHWAYS.
1640		
1641	Kenelm Winslow	
1642	Francis West	
1643	Robert Waterman	
1644	William Brooke	
1645	John Dingley	Thos. Chillingworth, Robert Barker.
1646	John Bourne	John Dingley, William Brooks.
1647	Anthony Snow	Thomas Bourne, Thomas Tilden.
1648	Thomas Bourne	John Russell, Robert Barker.
1649		Josias Winslow, William Brooks.
1650	John Dingley	John Bourne, Richard Beare.
1651	Elisha Bisbee	Anthony Snow, Peregrine White.
1652	Robert Carver	Joseph Bedle, William Sherman.
1653	Thomas Tilden	Robert Carver, William Macomber.
1654	Kenelm Winslow	John Rouse, Richard Silvester.
1655	John Dingley	John Phillips, Timothy Williamson.
1656	Resolved White	
1657	John Russell	William Foard, Thomas Tilden.
1658	William Macomber	
1659	Anthony Snow	
1660	Peregrine White	
1661	John Russell	
1662	William Macomber	John Rouse, William Foard, Jr.
1663	John Dingley	Thomas Doggett, Anthony Snow.
1664	Thomas Little	
1665	John Dingley	
1666	Anthony Snow	John Dingley, Josias Keene.
1667	John Dingley	
1668	Nathaniel Thomas	Joseph Bedle, Resolved White.
1669	Robert Barker	Joseph Bedle, William Macomber.
1670	Nathaniel Thomas	
1671	Nathaniel Winslow	Nathaniel Thomas, Michael Foard.
1672	John Dingley	Joseph Bedle, Samuel Sprague.
1673	John Carver	Thomas Doggett, Timothy Williamson.
1674	Thomas Doggett	John Carver, William Foard, Jr.
1675	William Brooke	Jonathan Winslow, Samuel Sprague.
1676	Kenelm Winslow	Jonathan Winslow, Samuel Sprague.
1677	Nathaniel Winslow	John Foster, John Bourne.
1678	Francis West	
1679	Isaac Little	William Foard, John Thomas, Sr.
1680	William Foard	Nathaniel Winslow, Thos. Macomber.
1681	Francis West	Josiah Snow, Francis Crocker.
1682	Thomas Macomber	Ralph Powell, Thomas Doggett.
1683	Michael Foard	
1684	Joseph Waterman	
1685	John Foster, John Rouse	Joseph Waterman, Ralph Powell.

JOHN KEEN – INNKEEPER AND YEOMAN

Several publications listed John Keen as an innkeeper and yeoman. Nothing has been found to substantiate that statement. It is very possible he was an innkeeper/yeoman in England before coming the America.

In the below dictionary definition, a yeoman could have been a landowner who worked his own land. This is probably closest to what John Keen was and his innkeeping may have been a sideline or his past occupation in England. If the children were all born on London Bridge, which at that time was a teeming trade center, it is unlikely that he held land at that time in England.

Robert R. Keen Dayton, Ohio 1992

yeo·man (yō'mən) *n., pl.* **-men** [ME. *yeman*, prob. contr. < *yengman, yung man*, lit., young man] 1. orig., *a)* an attendant or manservant in a royal or noble household *b)* an assistant or subordinate, as to a sheriff *c)* a freeholder of a class below the gentry, who worked his own land **2.** [Brit.] *a)* a small landowner *b) same as* YEOMAN OF THE GUARD *c)* a member of the yeomanry (sense 2) **3.** *U.S. Navy* a petty officer assigned to clerical duty —*adj.* of or characteristic of yeomen; see also YEOMAN'S SERVICE
yeo·man·ly (-lē) *adj.* 1. of, characteristic of, or befitting a yeoman 2. brave; sturdy —*adv.* in a yeomanly manner
yeoman of the (royal) guard any of the 100 men forming a ceremonial guard for the English royal family: instituted in 1485 by Henry VII

Excerpted from: HISTORY OF PLYMOUTH COUNTY, MASSACHUSETTS
with biographical sketches of many of its pioneers and prominent men.
pub. 1884 J.W. Lewis & Co.
Philadelphia

P. 1141 — HISTORY OF MARSHFIELD

Up to this time Green's Harbor was simply a parish, some of its occupants of lands having houses and homes there, and others owning and cultivating farms or herding their cattle, while they retained their dwellings in Plymouth or Duxbury. About six thousand acres of land, including the two miles, or more than one-third of the present territory of Marshfield, had been granted to individual proprietors. In addition to the above, at various times before 1640, tracts of land varying in extent from fifteen to eighty acres were granted to Joseph Beadle, John Rouse, James Lindall, John Ford, Arthur Howland, William Sherman, John Phillips, Roger Chandler, Samuel Tompkins, Edmund Weston, Ralph Chapman, John Gardner, John Hardmer, Edmund Hawes, John Winslow, Stephen Tracy, George Partridge, Henry Sampson, Experience Mitchell, John Paybody, Abraham Peirce, and William Tubbs. These extracts from the records show clearly enough who were the settlers and occupants of land in Marshfield before its incorporation. In later days, after the incorporation, John Adams, James Adams, Robert Waterman, Anthony Snow, John Branch, Christopher Winter, John Hewett, John Gorham, James Pitney, John Dingley, John Somers, Samuel Baker, Timothy Williamson, John Foster, John Walker, John Low, Thomas Chillingworth, Samuel Sprague, Edward Stevens, Thomas Doggett, Josiah Keen, William Shurtleff, Thomas Little, and John Jones either bought or obtained grants of lands, and may perhaps properly be called second comers.

On the 2d of March, 1640/1, it was enacted by the court "that Green's Harbor shall be a Towneship and have all the priveledges of a Towneship that other Townes have, and that it shall be called by the name of Rexhame but now Marshfield." The termination "hame" meant simply "town," and Rexhame or Rexham was another name for Kingstown. The Indian name for the territory was Missaquatucket.

Moswetuset Hummock

'Birthplace Of Massachusetts'

The Indians saw it as a hill (wetuset) shaped like an arrowhead (mos) so they called it "Moswetuset" and when English tongues got through mangling the word it came out "Massachusetts," which became the name of the bay and then the state.

The little wooded hillock near the junction of East Squantum St. and Quincy Shore Drive was once the seat of the sachem Chickatabot, who comes down through the pages of Quincy history as a rather pathetic figure.

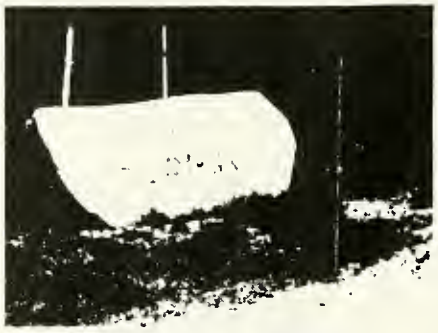
He was the chief of the Moswetuset Indians, a once great tribe that occupied the coast north of Plymouth.

A few years before, under the great sachem Nanepashemet, the Moswetuset had been able to field some 3,000 warriors for a war with the Nanepashemet was killed.

Then came the plague.

In two years the mighty Moswetuset were all but wiped out. No more than 60 of them were left to till their fields on the banks of the Neponset River. Sachem Chickatabot fled his home on the hill in Wollaston and took refuge on Moswetuset Hummock.

That was the situation in 1621 when Capt. Myles Standish landed from a shallop with an exploring party of Plymouth Pilgrims that included the Indian guide Squanto (or Tsquantum), whose name was given to the peninsula that stuck out in the bay.



MOSWETUSET HUMMOCK

The tragic Chickatabot died not long after the Pilgrims' visit and he was succeeded as sachem by his son, Josiah Wampatuck, a boy who knew a good deal when he saw one.

Wampatuck sold what was left of his virtually deserted tribal lands to a group of whites for 12 pounds, 10 shillings. The lands included most of what is today the city of Quincy and the towns of Braintree, Randolph and Holbrook.

Moswetuset Hummock, identified by a marker stone and maintained in its natural state, is open to the public. There is no admission charge.

PLYMOUTH COLONY - ITS HISTORY AND PEOPLE 1620-1691
pp. 200-201 Author: EUGENE AUBREY STRATTON

There were a few specific homosexual cases at Plymouth, and some suspicions of a few others. We should be careful not to read too much into the records, which could be quite specific when the facts were available to justify fine details, but could be rather vague when the facts themselves seemed flimsy. On 6 March 1648/49 the wife of Hugh Norman and Mary Hammon of Yarmouth were presented by the Grand Jury for "leude behavior with each other upon a bed." Mary Hammon was later cleared with an admonition. On 2 October 1650 (apparently the delay was at her own request "by reason of som hinderances"), Hugh Norman's wife was tried for lewd behavior with Mary Hammon on a bed "with divers lasivious speeches by her allso spoken," and she was ordered to make a public acknowledgment of her "unchast behavior" and to take heed "lest her former cariage come in remembrance against her to make her punishment the greater" in any future offense. There had been earlier charges made by Richard Berry, who accused Teague Jones of committing sodomy and other unclean practices with Sarah, the wife of Hugh Norman; however, on 6 March 1649/50 Richard Berry acknowleged before the General Court that he had given false witness under oath, and he was sentenced to be whipped at the post. [23]

Somewhat more specific, though a bit confusing also, is the case of Lydia Hatch, Jonathan Hatch, Edward Mitchell, Edward Preston, and John Keene. On 1 March 1641/42 Lydia Hatch was sentenced to be whipped for "suffering Edward Mitchell to attempt to abuse her body by uncleanesse," and for not reporting it, and also for lying in the same bed with her brother Jonathan. Edward Mitchell was sentenced to be whipped at both Plymouth and Barnstable for "his lude and sodomiticall practices tending to sodomye wth Edward Preston, and other lude carryages wth Lydia Hatch." Edward Preston was sentenced to be whipped at Plymouth and Barnstable at the same time as Mitchell for his lewd practices tending to sodomy with Edward Mitchell, and for "pressing John Keene thereunto (if he would have yeilded)." John Keene "because he resisted the temptacon, & used meanes to discover it, is appoynted to stand by whilst Mitchell and Preston are whipt, though in some thing he was faulty." Jonathan Hatch "was taken as a vagrant, & for his misdemeanors was censured to be whipt, & sent from constable to constable to Leiftennant Davenport at Salem." A few days later it was determined that Jonathan Hatch would dwell with Mr. Stephen Hopkins, with Hopkins to have a special care of him. [24]

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PILGRIM NOTES AND QUERIES

NOTES

KEEN-LITTLE. The attention of the Editor was recently called by Mr. Thomas Gurney to entries made between 1763 and 1770, by Hezekiah Keen of Duxbury, in an account book now in the possession of his descendant, Mr. Abdon W. Keene. These entries prove that the first Josiah Keen of Marshfield married Abigail Little and had by her a son Josiah (father of Hezekiah) and a daughter who died young. Abigail Little also died and Josiah then married Hannah Dingly of Marshfield, Hannah being his second wife, not his only wife as seems to have been claimed hitherto.

An even more interesting feature of the case, from the standpoint of Pilgrim genealogy, is the possibility that we have in Abigail Little a hitherto unknown daughter of Thomas and Ann (Warren) Little. She was certainly too old to be his granddaughter, but may have been a niece, or a more distant relative.

In our next issue we shall print all of the entries in this interesting old document, with notes in regard to Abigail Little.

PLYMOUTH COLONY - ITS HISTORY AND PEOPLE
P. 318 Author: EUGENE AUBREY STRATTON

LITTLE, THOMAS—Thomas Little first appears in Plymouth records on the 1633 tax list. On 19 April 1633 he married Ann Warren, daughter of *Mayflower* passenger Richard Warren and his wife Elizabeth (*PCR* 1:13). On 7 October 1633 Little sold his dwelling house to Richard Higgins for twenty-one bushels of corn (*PCR* 1:16). On 28 May 1635 he made a gift of land to his brother-in-law Robert Bartlett (*PCR* 1:34). On 12 March 1638/39 William Taylor (son of William Taylor of Boddington, County Cornwall, carpenter) transferred his indenture with the consent of all from Mr. John Atwood to Thomas Little (*PCR* 1:119). Little moved to Marshfield, where he became constable on 3 June 1662 (*PCR* 4:15). He bought farm land in Marshfield which had belonged to Maj. William Holmes, deceased, and on 3 June 1662 the court ordered that in view of his many improvements of the land, if anyone should show better title in the future, such person would have to pay him fully for his improvements (*PCR* 4:16). On 9 June 1665 he was fined £1/10 for not keeping secret the proceedings of the grand jury, of which he was a member (*PCR* 4:101). When he refused to pay rents claimed by Mrs. Rachel Davenport for the land of the late William Holmes, the court on 1 May 1666 awarded her £15, which, because of his improvements, was less than she had claimed (*PCR* 4:119). On 14 August 1672 administration of the estate of Thomas Little of Marshfield was given to his widow, Anna Little (*PCR* 5:101). His will dated 12 May 1671, inventory 4 April 1672, mentioned his wife; his sons Isaac, Ephraim, Thomas, and Samuel; his grandson John Jones; and his servant Sarah Bonney (*MD* 4:161). His son Thomas died in King Philip's War at Rehoboth, and in his will (*MD* 4:164) we learn that his father Thomas also had daughters Ruth, Hannah, Patience, and Mercy. The younger Thomas died without having married. The senior Thomas Little also had a daughter Abigail, who married Josiah Keene and predeceased her father (*MD* 8:191-92, 10 128, 28:5-6).

THE ENGLISH CONNECTION GENEALOGY SEARCH FOR JOHN KEEN AND MARTHA OF LONDON, ENGLAND

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AUGUST 1994

I originally wrote to Association of Genealogists and Record Agents (AGRA), a Mrs. Jean Tooke B.Com, 1 Woodside Close, Catersham, Surrey, CR3 6AU, England, who wrote back advising that she was giving my search to Dr. Stephen Taylor, a member of AGRA, 50, Westmead Road, Barton under Needwood, Staffordshire, DE138JR, England – phone: (0283) 716587.

I had sent a copy of Hezekiah Keen's account which made the connection in his writings to John and Martha coming from London and their children being born on "London Bridge" and that Josias (Josiah) of my lineage was one of the passengers of the ship "Confidence" that came to "New England" in 1638. Hezekiah also mentioned that two sons were left in England. No explanation. The passenger's list of the ship Confidence was found in print, "Passengers to America" by Tepper, p.126 listing, Martha Keene 60, Elizabeth Keene 13, Martha Keene, Josias Keene, John Keen 17, and Sarah Keene in 1638 as passengers. No mention of the senior John Keen(e). Another account (Savage Genealogical Dictionary, V-3), lists John Keen as coming from England and that he was a mariner and innkeeper and settled in Hingham, Massachustetts. I later found another reference to a Keen(e) named Matthew coming over on the ship Confidence and destination being Hingham, Massachusetts, and being from the parish Checkenden (re: Aspinwall 249 and Banks Topographical Dictionary of 2885 English Immigrants to New England 1620-1650 by Charles Edward Banks).

Matthew could possibly be one of the sons left behind or at least a close relative since he was also going to Hingham, Massachusetts. No reference to a John Keen(e) could be found in the 1600's in Hingham or any year. I can only presume family lore passed by word of mouth from generation to generation until Hezekiah wrote it down in the 1700's in his account. And yet, someone apparently wrote in something, a bible or diary or personal account that John Keen died on November 14, 1649 and is buried in Duxbury, Massachusetts. No formal record of his death could be found and the old cemetery has no stone or record of him being buried there. In regard to Martha (no maiden name known), John's wife, the same account has her dying in 1638 and at age 60, the same year she arrived in New England. Did she die on the ship? Was John already in New England? We may never know.

The genealogist, Dr. Taylor, after reading of the information I supplied speculated that the Keen(e) family may have come from Oxfordshire or Southwark. Southwark is on the other side of the London Bridge. His investigation turned up the following:

PUBLIC RECORD OFFICE, CHANCERY LANE, LONDON
PREROGATIVE COURT OF CANTERBURY – *The Keene wills, listed in my last report have now been searched of any details that could link the testator to the family of John and Martha Keen. Only the will of Thomas Keane, proved in 1632, offerred a possible link with your family.*
1632 Keane Thomas of St. Olave's Southwark, Surrey.
PROB11/161: ff. 165 RH – 166 RH 3pp.
Thomas Keene of St. Olave's Southwark, Surrey, baker Made: 3rd February 1631 [/2] dwelling in Maze Lane Southwark
Names: Ref: lease of Sir Anthony Thomas, knight – John Plumbly (son in law) – Sara Plumbly wife of John (daughter) – John Keene under 21 (son) – Sara (now wife, possibly pregnant) executrix – David Keene (son) [ref: to his mother's ring – a previous wife, therefore] John Keene (brother) John Keene "my brother's son that is nowe with me" – Alice (sister) – Mr. Timothy Harte (father in law) – John Merrick (cosyn) – Witnesses: Thomas Sampson, Thomas Lammas X
Codicil: Made: 5th February 1631 [/2]

Dr. Taylor speculates: *"I am wondering whether the brother John is our John Keene. We know that he had a son John. In the above will, Thomas Keene, the testator has his nephew living with him in Southwark at*

the time of the making of his will, although both brother and nephew are cut out of the will by the codicil made two days later! A link between Southwark and London Bridge makes this equally worthy of further consideration. Also, for what it is worth, both Thomas Keene and your John had daughters by the name of Sarah, but I must emphasise that this was a very common name for girls at that date. If this is our John Keen, then we know he was alive in 1631/32. His absence from the passenger list of 1638 could be for a number of reasons. A full typescript of this will can be produced should it prove directly relevant". (A copy of the will hand-written in Old English and extremely difficult to read was received from Dr. Taylor).

"The other listed wills produced the following references: 1632 Keene Robert deceased abroad: PROB11/162: f. 188 RH, 1p. - 1639 Keene Henry of St. Olave Southwark, Surrey: PROB11/179: f. 264 RH, 1p. - 1644 Keene Robert of Middlesex proved at Oxford in April - This item has not been located, as it has no reference number in the calendar. It may be particularly useful, especially if my hunch about Oxfordshire is correct. - 1650 Keene Robert of London: PROB11/211: ff. 313 RH - 314 LH, 2pp. - 1655 Keene John of St. Clement Danes, Middlesex: PROB11/247: f. 201 LH & RH 2pp. - 1658 Keene Thomas of [the Liberty of the Tower] London: PROB11/277: ff. 293 LH & RH, 2 pp. - 1661 Keene Elizabeth of St. Margaret Westminster, Middlesex: PROB11/303 ff. 377 RH 378 RH, 3 pp. - widow of Jeffery Keene - 1669 Keene John of St. Martin in the Fields, Middlesex: PROB11/329: f. 447 LH & RH 2 pp. Contains a reference to his sister Jane, the wife of Richard Bettrice of St. Peter's in the Bayly, City of Oxford, chirurgeon and a bequest to the City of Oxford. None of these wills contained details that make them likely to relate to your family. I have noted the references so that you know precisely what has been researched which will be important for any future work.

A later letter from Dr. Taylor intimates a possible connection between the Keen(e) and Wilder families, both listed on passenger's list of Confidence.

" The connection between the Keene and Wilder families has been further intimated by the will of Thomas Wilder, proved in 1619. It is extremely likely that this was the husband of the Martha Wilder who was listed with the Keenes aboard ship in 1638. His will was also witnessed by one Matthew Keene who sailed on the Confidence. Furthermore, they had a son called Matthew, too. You will see there is a mention of a David Keene amongst the will extracts and a David Keene was mentioned by Thomas Keene of St. Olave's Southwark. While this may be a chance finding of the David (which is not the most frequently used of names), it could suggest a link between Southwark and the Oxfordshire Keen family: the possibility being followed that John Keene 'my brother's son that is now with me' could be your ancestor. The will search did not provide any obvious material to link your Keenes with the Wilders but such a search was necessary. I feel sure that some link did exist and an extended search in Shiplake and Checkenden will or may provide the evidence required. A recent check in the Oxfordshire Marriage Index did not produce an entry for Thomas Wilder or Martha Keene: I am wondering if Martha was a Keene by birth. Of course, this is speculation, but sometimes a hunch pays dividends. The will of Thomas Wilder (1619) also mentions land in Shiplake part purchased of Thomas Bearse. One of the people listed under Martha Wilder's name in the passenger list is Augustine Bearce, aged 20, and suggests a further connection between Shiplake and the Keenes. (A copy of a parish map of Oxfordshire was received from Dr. Taylor. Following is information from the Oxfordshire Arechives sent by Dr. Taylor.

PERSONAL NAMES INDEX: KEANE/KEENE, ETC. - Keene Mauryce 1626 Iahr Churchill Misc. Su. xxxiii/1 - Keene Richard 1633 Shilford Marshall xxii/11/22 - PARISH REGISTERS: CHECKENDEN, OXFORDSHIRE, No registers prior to 1674 - PARISH RECORDS: SHIPLAKE, OXFORDSHIRE, Tithe and Offerings Book 1637-1692 - PROBATE RECORDS: Searching for items in the southern Oxfordhsire area. Items marked * were read and notes taken.

KEEN: Kene Richard husbandman Checkenden 1589 W 188.29; 39/1/18 Made: 14 February 1588/9 to be buried at Checkenden. NAMES: Emme Woodward, John Giles, George Jenyngs, Alice Clarke, my brothers children (not named), Alice Emans, Henry (son) 'Wypers' lease, William (son), Elizabeth (wife) executrix, Thomas Keene son of my brother David Kene, Thomas Keene son of brother Hughe Keene (overseers)

WITNESSES: William Wickenden, Edmond Olyve, John Warden. CODICIL: Alice Olyve, Susan Cottrell at Wallingford. DEBTS OWED TO ME: Mr. Payne of Wallingford, Mr. Chadwick of Checkenden, Tobye of Goaringe, Richard Pearman. PROVED: 28 March 1589.

KEENE: Keene Henry yeoman Harpsden 1605 WBd 193.50; 39/1/69. MADE: 25 January 1602/3. NAMES: Henry Walles (brother in law), Clement Curtise of Sunning, Elizabeth Walles (sister) executrix, John ffoulkes, clerke, curate of Suninge [i.e. Sonning], Thomas Rockhold the elder of Suninge, yeoman, Andrew Langford of same town husbandman, Children of Henry and Elizabeth Walles (not named), DEBTS THAT I DOE OWE: William Pearcman, Agnes Pearcman widow, John Carters wife of Sheeplake, Ellis Woodroffe of Henley brewer, Wm Jeninges of Harding, John Doltons. DEBTS OWING TO ME: Richard Hatch of Ryscome [ref: TO John Leechfield of Hurste], John Birge plowmaker of Grayes, Thomas Pearcman of Riscome, ffranciscus Ayeres of Hurste, Richard Widmoore of Harding WITNESSES: ffranciscus Rockhold, Clement Curtis, John ffoulkes curate. BOND: 28 May 1605 William Myrrills of Ewelme, tayler, Roger Sarney of Rotherfield Grayes, brickmaker bound in £60. William Myrrills administrator use of Moyses Smarte next of kin of Henry Keene deceased during the minority and nonage of the said Moyses Smarte.

KEENE: Keene John glazier Henley on Thames 1626 I 298/4/2

KEENE: Keene Abigall widow Henley on Thames 1638 WI 200.102; 39/3/19 MADE: 19 May 1638 NAMES: Thomas Keene (son), ffrances (daughter), Phillipp (son), Anne (daughter), Abigall (daughter), [Marie Keene, Thomas Keene, John Keene my son Thomas Keene's children], Willam & ffrances Reading (grandchildren), Sara Keene (grandchild), Joane Keene (daughter) executrix. WITNESSES: HENRY BUCK Scr, Willam R-----, illegible, PROVED: 1 October 1638 by Joane Keene daughter. Inventory appraised 21 September 1638 by Willm Barnes, Willm ffloyd of Henley yeomen TOTAL VALUE OF THE INVENTORY: £18 16s 8d.

Dr. Taylor also sent gleanings from Wilder wills and Beares and Wells. They did not really proved useful in making a connection. He stated that SHIPLAKE WILLS 1620-1640 are too numerous to search from parish to parish without further funding. I terminated his services. It seems that it will only be by accident that I will be able to find any further connections with the Keen(e) family in England. I tried.

BANKS TOPOGRAPHICAL DICTIONARY OF 2885 PASSENGERS TO NEW ENGLAND 1620 - 1650 by Charles Edward Banks pub. Southern Book Co.

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OXFORDSHIRE

NAME OF THE EMIGRANT	ENGLISH PARISH NAME	SHIPS NAME	NEW ENGLAND TOWN	VARIOUS REFERENCE
BOREMAN, Samuel	Banbury		Ipswich, Mass. Wethersfield, Connecticut	Genealogy
NEWMAN, Rev. Samuel	Banbury		Dorchester	Pope
SUMNER, William	Bicester		Dorchester	N.E.G.R. 8 12MD P. F. 76
STEPHENS, John	Caversham		Newbury	N.E.G.R. 60-60
SALTER, Sampson	Caversham		Newport, Rhode Island	N.E.G.R. 60-61
JONES, Thomas	Caversham		Newbury	N.E.G.R. 60, 60
BENSON, John	Caversham		Hingham, Massachusetts	N.E.G.R. 60-60
KEENE, Matthew	Checkenden	Confidence	Hingham Massachusetts	Aspinwall 249
AVERY, William	Chipping Norton		Ipswich, Massachusetts	N.Y. Gen & Biog Rec 89-201
BETTS, John	Claydon		Cambridge, Mass	Brainerd
Thomas	Claydon		Hartford, Conn. Wethersfield, Connecticut	Brainerd
WESTON, Edmond	Cornwell		Duxbury	Banks Mss
STEPHENS, John	Eynsham	Confidence	Newbury	Pope
William	Eynsham	Confidence	Newbury	Pope
BENSON, John	Eynsham	Confidence	Hingham, Massachusetts	Pope
WHITTON, James	Hook Norton		Hingham, Mass	Aspinwall

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NAME OF THE EMIGRANT	ENGLISH PARISH NAME	SHIPS NAME	NEW ENGLAND TOWN	VARIOUS REFERENCE
WOODHULL, Richard	Mollington		Brookhaven, Long Island	N.E.G.R. 45/146
MAYO, John	Newington, North		Nauset, C. C.	Banks Mss.
PRINCE, John	Oxford		Watertown Hull, Mass.	Banks Mss.
FLOYD, John	Oxford		Scituate	Aspinwall
BLAND, Bridget	Oxford		Charlestown, Massachusetts	Aspinwall
JONES, Robert	Reading		Hingham, Mass.	Aspinwall
LARKIN, William	Reading		Reading, Mass.	Pope
WILDER, Edward	Shiplake		Hingham, Mass.	Geoealogy
Thomas	Shiplake		Charlestown, Massachusetts Lancaster, Mass.	Genealogy
COBBETT, Thomas	Thame		Lynn, Massachusetts	Mather 1/518
SUTTON, Ambrose	Westwell		Charlestown, Massachusetts Newport, R. I.	Lechford

Total number of Emigrants from Oxfordshire is 27 from 16 Parishes

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WILL OF RICHARD KENE 1589 ENGLAND
PARISH OF CHECKENDON IN COUNTY OF OXON

In the name of God Amen -- the xIIII th daye of Februarye in the yere of our Lord God 1589, I, Richard Kene of ye parishe of Checkendon in the Countye and diocesse of Oxon, husbandman, being sicke in bodye but thankes be to God in perfecte remembrance do make this my last will & testament in manner and forme followinge namely: First, I bequeathe my soule to Almighty God my creator, redeemer and sanctifier and to the holye companye of Heaven and my bodye to be buried in the churcheyard of Checkendon aforesaid / Item. I geve & bequeathe to the poor mens boxe of the parishe of Checkendon iII shillings, Iv d / Item. I geve to my godchildren to eache of them Iv d / Item. I geve & bequeathe to Emma Woodward halfe a bushell of maulte / Item. I geve & bequeathe to John Giles halfe a bushell of maulte / Item. I geve & bequeathe to George Jenynge halfe a bushell of maulte / Item. I geve & bequeathe to Alice Clarke halfe a bushell of maulte / Item. I geve & bequeathe to everye of my brothers children each of them a shepe to be delyvered at the discrecion of my overseers / Item. I geve & bequeathe to Alice Evans a shepe / Item. I geve & bequeathe to Henrye my son all that the estate and terme of yeres which I have by leave of a certen ground called 'Wypers' with all the other premises and ground in the said lease mentioned to ye same belonginge as long as he shall lyve and to his childe if he have any and if he dye without any children that then my will is that his wife shall holde the same one yere and a daye / And then the same to remayne to my son William / And if he die without Issue ease over the yeares shall be all determyned the same to remayne during the yeares then to come to my overseers equallie between them/ Item I geve and bequeathe to Henry my son all my ware and wood at my kille And all other woods which is allreadye boughte and the same wood carried to the Kille which my carte and teeme now is / And also I geve and bequeathe to my son Henry the lower Close in the parke next the hieway durinye the terme of years therein to come and to paye yerelie in rent for the same 26 shillings 8 d / And I geve and bequeathe to Elizabeth my wife twoe kyen and twentye sheepe to be taken and had after there shalbe twentye first drawen and had out of the flocke and also the best bed and the best furniture to the same belonging and the best bras pot and the best sheete and the cotes in the lofte / Item I geve and bequeath to Elizabeth my wife the one halfe of that my dwelling house and ground and halfe the residue of the parte reserved durringe the terme of yeres the leases thereof mentioned in the same / Item I geve and bequeathe to William my son the other halfe and parte of that my dwellinge house and grounde aforesaid and halfe of the residue of the parte reserved / And if William do decease before the end of the leases be determyned that then the same halfe to remayne to my overseers / Item my will is that my son Henry shall dischardge and paye all suche detts and duelies due to Mr Fallmer concernyng the leasse of 'Wipers'. the residue of my goods moveable and unmoveable being not bequeathed I geve and bequeath between Elizabeth my wife and Henrye and William my twoe sonnes to be equallie parted and devided betweene them making Elizabeth my wife my full whole and sole exequitrixe to dispose my goods and to discharge and pay my legacies and have my body brought to be buryed / Item I do constitute ordeyne and apoynte to be overseers of this my last will and testament my trustye and beloved Thomas Keene sone of my brother David Kene and Thomas Kene sone of my brother Hughe Keene to have full power and authoritie to governe and see that my son William shall make no grant to geve or sell anything part or parcell to hym before geven without the asent and consent of my said overseers and they to see this my will performed in everye poynt / And they to have either of them 20 shillings a piece for theire paynes / This belnge witness William Pickedon, Edmond Olyve and John Warden with others /// Item I geve to Alice Olyve 20 shillings, 3 shepe, a payre of sheets / Moreover, I geve and bequeathe to John Cottrell 2 lode of wood to be delyvered at Wallyngford and 3 shillings 4 d in monye.

Reverse of the Will:

Detts To Me Owynge

Mr Payne of Wallingford -- 21 shillings
Mr Chadwick of Checkenden -- 4 Shillings
Tobye of Goaringe for half a quart of lyme -- 12 d
Richard Pearman for 2 pound of brickes -- 2 shillings

This will proved at the court of John Undershill at Checkendon 28th day March 1589 In the prescence of the executrix.

THE WELCOME CLAIMANTS PROVED, DISPROVED AND DOUBTFUL

WITH AN ACCOUNT OF SOME OF THEIR DESCENDANTS PP. 326-327 and 338 to 341

by George McCracken - Published Welcome Society, PA 1985

(THESE WILLS MENTION ELEONOR (SIC) KEENE MARRIED TO EDWARD KEENE OF BLACKBOURTON, OXFORDSHIRE AND AN ELIANORE (SIC) KEENE IN THE SECOND WILL IS MENTIONED AS A COUSIN. SHE SEEMS TO BE THE SAME PERSON DAUGHTER OF GEORGE PENN. TIME FRAME 1611-1670.)

The will of Admiral Sir William Penn reads as follows:[64]

In the name of God Amen I Sir William Penn of London knight being of perfect minde and memorie doe make this my last Will and Testament this twentieth day of January in the yeare of our Lord God one thousand six hundred and sixtie and Nyne. And in the one and twentieth yeare of the reigne of our Sovereign Charles the Second by the Grace of God of England Scotland ffrance and Ireland King Defender of the ffaith etc in manner following And first I do hereby revoke admiss and make voyde all and every former and other Last Will and Testament devise and devises bequest and bequests by me heretofore at any tyme made or published My soul I humbly recomend into the merciful hands of my own beloved Lord and Saviour Jesus Christ beseeching him that through his meritts I may be made partaker of Life Eternal My body I commit to the Grave to be buried in the Parish church of Redcliffe within the Citty of Bristoll as near unto the body of my deare Mother deceased whose body lyes there interred as the same conveniently may be And my will is that there shall be erected in the said Church as near unto the place where my body shall bee buried as the same can be contrived A Hansome and Decent Tombe to remain as a Monument as well for my said Mother as for my Self[65] the charges thereof To be defrayed by my Executor hereinafter named out of my personal estate I doe hereby devise the same as followeth And first I doe will and devise unto my deare Wife Dame Margaret Penn to be paid unto her imediately after my decease the summe of Three hundred pounds sterling together with all my Jewells other than What I shall hereinafter particularly devise And I doe also give and bequeath unto my said Deare Wife the use and occupation during her life of one full moyety of all my Plate and hnusehold stuffes all Coaches and Coach-horses or Coach-mares and all such Cowes I shall happen to Have at the tyme of my decease. Item I doe will and bequeath unto my younger sonne Richard Penn the summe of four thousand pounds sterling together with my Favritt Dyamond Ring and all my Swords Gunns and Pistolles The said four thousand pounds so bequeathed unto my said sonne Richard to be paid and payeable unto him so soone as He shall arrive at the Age of one and twenty yeares and not sooner And my Will is that in the meantyme And untill Richard shall arrive at the said Age of one and twenty yeares my Executor hereinafter named shall pay unto my said sonne Richard out of my personal estate the yearly summe of one hundred and Twenty pounds which I hereby devise unto him for his support and maintenance untill He shall attain the Age of one and Twenty yeares and no longer: Item I doe will and devise unto my Deare Granddaughter Margarett Lowther the summe of one hundred pounds sterling unto my Two Nephews James Bradshaw and William Markham to each of them tenn pounds sterling Unto my two Nephewes John Bradshaw and George Markham to each of them five pounds sterling Unto my Cosin William Penn son of George Penn late of the fforest of Brayden in the County of Witts gent Deceased The summe of ten pounds sterling unto my Cosin Elianore Keene the yearly summe of six pounds sterling to be paid unto her yearly during her life by my Executor out of my personall estate by quarterly payments at the four most usuall quarterly feasts or quarterly days of payment in the yeare. Item I will and bequeath unto my late Servant William Bradshaw forty shillings to buy him a Ring unto my servant John Wrenn five pounds sterling unto the Poor of the Parish of Redcliffe aforesaid in the Citty of Bristoll aforesaid twenty pounds sterling I doe also Will and Devise to my eldest Sonne William Penn my Gold Chain and Medall with the rest and residue of all and singular my Plate household stuffe Goods Chattels and personall estate not hereinbefore devised as alsoe the said Goods Promised and devised to be used By my said deare wife during her life from and after the decease of my said Wife And I do hereby Constitute Declare nominate and appointe my said son William Sole Executor of this my last Will and Testament and doe hereby appointe at my ffuneral to give mourning unto my said Deare Wife my said sonne Richard my Daughter Margaret Lowther And my sonne in lawe Anthony Lowther the husband of my said Daughter and unto Doctor Whister and his wife and unto such of my servants as my said Deare Wife shall for that purpose nominate the said mourning to be paid for out of my personall estate hereby devised unto my said Executor And though I cannot apprehend that any difference may fall or happen Betweene my said Deare Wife and my said sonn William after my decease in regard to anything by me devised or submitted by this my will in Relation to any other matter or thing Whatsoever yet in Case any such difference should arise I doe hereby request and desire and in my right require conjoin and Direct my said Deare Wife and my said sonne William by all the Obligations of Duty affection and respect Which they have and ought to have for me and my memory That all Such Differences of what nature or kinde Soever they shall bee by the joynt Consents and submission of my said Deare Wife and my said sonne William bee at all tymes and from tyme to tyme referred to the deliberation and finall judgment and Determination of my worthy ffriende S[r] William Coventry[65] of the parish of St. Martin in the ffields in the County of Middlesex whom I doe hereby instruct to take uppon himself the determination of all and every such difference and differences as shall from tyme to tyme or at any tyme after my decease shall be referred unto him Awards and determinations by my said Deare Wife and my said sonn William Penn for the totall prevention of all suites in Lawe or equity which upon any occasion or misunderstanding might otherwise happen betweene them. In Witnesse whereof I have unto my last will and Testament sett my hand and seal this day and yeare first above written and doe publish and Declare this to be my last will and Testament in the presence of those whose names are subscribed as wittnesses hereunto.

W. Penn

Signed sealed declared and Published after these words vit the use and occupation during her life of Betweene the seaventh and eight lines and these words vix as also the said Goods and premises devised to be used by my said deare wife during her life from and after the decease of my said wife betweene the senventeenth and eighteenth lines were intersigned in the presence of R. Langhorn John Radford William Markham.[66]

Probatum fuit 1 Oct. 1670.

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THE WELCOME CLAIMANTS PROVED, DISPROVED AND DOUBTFUL

WITH AN ACCOUNT OF SOME OF THEIR DESCENDANTS pp. 326-327 & 338-341

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(continued)

4. GEORGE PENN, eldest son of William Penn (William, John) of Malmesbury, by his wife Margaret Rastall, was born about 1571, died intestate at Brinkworth and was buried at Minety, 5 Jan. 1632. He was heir and executor of his grandfather's will in 1592. He became one of the Preservers, Keepers and Officers of the Forest of Braydon; appears in the Subsidy Rolls of Minety, 40 Elizabeth I (1597/8)[27], again in 42 Elizabeth I (1599-1600)[28] and 1 James I (1604-5)[29] but in 19 James I (1621-2), there is no Penn in Minety.[30] He was a churchwarden in Minety in 1608 but must soon have moved to Brinkworth, at least by 1621. Mrs. Colquhoun Grant says he was sent as envoy to Spain by Charles I as Prince of Wales in 1623, but this seems to be a confusion with his nephew George, son of brother Giles. He married probably by 1600 a woman named ELIZABETH -----, who was his administratrix on 15 Dec. 1632.[31]

Issue: surname Penn, order uncertain

i. William, ensign, d. Kinsale, Ireland, ca. April 1676, testate, will in Cork and Ross wills 1676 (not examined); mentioned in Admiral Sir William Penn's will, 1670; a letter of the ensign dated 1 Nov. 1670 to Sir Robert Southwell is printed by Brailsford.[32] He calls himself clerk of the Cheque at Kinsale, Ireland; has held this post since the Restoration at a salary of £40 p.a., in great part unpaid, is fearful of losing this post but was still there Feb. 1673.

ii. Eleonor, bapt. Cirencester, 27 Oct. 1611, then called daughter of George Penn, gent. (the only Penn entry at Cirencester); m. aged 24, 12 May 1635, Edward Keene of Blackbourton, Oxfordshire, aged 27, who had evidently d. by 1669 when she is mentioned in Admiral Penn's will.[33] (An Eleonor Penn, daughter of George [sic: surely error for Giles] was bapt. at St. Mary Radcliffe, Bristol, 26 May 1610, d. 24 Nov. 1612.)

iii. ?Elizabeth, m. at St. Thomas, Bristol, 18 Sept. 1620, George Jones of Grittenham, Wilts,[34] and his will dated 30 Feb. 1629, probated 7 Oct. 1629, named George Penn as overseer.

iv. ?Christian, m. ----- Tucke of Charlton, co. Wilts; on her estate admin. was granted to George Penn 1630-1.[35]

v. ?Margery, spinster of Brinkworth, m. there, by lic. 17 Oct. 1622 John Sherer (Bishop's Transcripts). He may have been the man of this name who m. there, 24 June 1620, Agnes Lewen.

vi. ?Susanna, spinster of Brinkworth, m. there by lic. 2 Aug. 1633, Richard Cusse of Wootton Basset, co. Wilts, mercer.[36]

The following information was found in "Passengers from Great Yarmouth". Janewary (sic) 24, 1638 to Holland and New England - 1637-1639.

Nathanill (sic) KEENE: *borne at Felton in by trade a tayler Aged aboutt 26 years is desirous ... into Holland to serve under Captayne Garretts Company.*

John Keen and family came to Hingham, Massachusetts in 1638. The father is not listed on the passenger list, however, lore has him dying in Duxbury, Mass. The above may be another of his two sons that did not come with him (according to Hezekiah's account. A son of another Keen was named Nathaniel and is in my lineage as a g-grandfather. I realize that is a common name, but...

NOTES

KEEN GENEALOGY G2 PARENTS JOHN AND MARTHA KEEN

It is noted in Hezekiah Keen's family account (MD 28:1) that his grandfather, Josiah Keen, married twice, first to Abigail Warren Little and then to Hannah Dingley. Abigail Little is in our direct line of descendancy.

ABIGAIL WARREN LITTLE	**JOSIAH KEEN**	HANNAH DINGLEY
b. c. 1634	b. c. 1621	b.
p. Plymouth, MA	p. London Bridge, England	p.
d. c. 1654	d. will probated 1710	d.
Marshfield, MA.	Duxbury, MA.	

Josiah Keen, son of John and Martha, married Abigail (Warren) Little daughter of Thomas Little and *Ann Warren -- daughter of Richard Warren, Mayflower passenger.* Josiah and Abigail had two children before her death, JOSIAH jr and an unknown daughter who died young. After Abigail's death, Josiah married Hannah Dingley and they had seven children -- John, Hannah, Sarah, Matthew, Elizabeth, Ephraim and Abigail. We are interested in the lineage of JOSIAH jr. There is little known about Hannah Dingley, however she was the daughter of John Dingley of Marshfield, so she was born either in Marshfield or Duxbury and could be traced by following the Dingley lineage.

JOSIAH KEEN jr

b. circa 1655
p. Marshfield, MA
d. December 23, 1732
Pembroke, MA
m. Lydia Baker 1681

Duxbury records show that Josiah jr bought 30 acres of land in 1696 and bought 9 acres in 1706. His property bounded his father's property. In 1703 he was chosen a grand juror. In 1709 he lodged a protest at a town meeting. In 1721 he is mentioned in a a property dispute.

The children of JOSIAH KEEN AND HANNAH DINGLEY ...

JOHN KEEN	HANNAH KEEN	SARAH KEEN
b. 1661	b.	b.
p. Duxbury, MA	p.	p.
d. 1744	d.	d.
m. Rebekah Barker	m. Isaac Oldham 1695 Duxbury, MA	m. Timothy Rogers

MATTHEW KEEN	ELIZABETH KEEN	EPHRAIM KEEN
b.	b. 1683	b.
p.	p.	p.
m. Martha McFarland 1698 Hingham, MA	m. John Bishop c. 1700 Pembroke, MA	m. Hannah Sprout

ABIGAIL KEEN
b.
p.

m. Hotsem Bishop

See reverse side for children of this generation

We are following the lineage of JOSIAH KEEN jr (G3)

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DINGLEY, JOHN – John Dingley may have resided earlier at Lynn (*Moore Families*, p. 227), but he first appears in Plymouth records at Sandwich on 4 December 1638, when he was fined ten shillings for being defective in arms, and was also presented for keeping two hogs unringed (*PCR* 1:107). On 16 April 1640 he was granted five and one-half acres of meadow lands allotted at Sandwich (*PCR* 1:149). On 5 June 1644 he was chosen constable of Marshfield (*PCR* 2:72). Since he was on the 1643 ATBA for both Sandwich and Marshfield, it would seem that he moved from the former to the latter about this time. He also served as grandjuror (*PCR* 2:84, 116, 3:78, 4:37, 91, 148, 5:91), and as a highway surveyor (*PCR* 2:102, 4:124), and on grand and trial juries (*PCR*, passim). He became a freeman on 5 June 1644 (*PCR* 2:71). On 22 October 1650 Richard Church sold Dingley some land in Marshfield, and Dingley was described as a smith (blacksmith) in the deed (*PCR* 12:197). On 1 November 1679 John Dingley and his fourteen-year-old servant Arthur Loe appeared in court and Arthur covenanted to live with Dingley and his wife as an apprentice and servant until he became twenty-one (*PCR* 6:25). Administration of Dingley's estate, dated 18 March 1689/90, shows that he was survived by son Jacob, and Jacob's son Joseph; Sarah, the wife of William Ford; and Hannah, the wife of Josiah Keane (*PN&Q* 5:92).

His wife has been called Sarah _____. The accounts of John Dingley's origins as the son of an armigerous family of Cropthorne, Worcestershire, with several fairly recent royal lines, as given by Edward N. Dingley, *Ancestors of Edward N. Dingley* (1954), are colorful, but unsupported by evidence and not very logical. Some of the reasons for doubting this Dingley ancestry are given by Eugene A. Stratton, "Search for the English Ancestry of John Dingley," *TAG* 56:207; however, this article gives an incorrect surname for Dingley's wife and the author fell into the mistake made by others, such as Savage and Arthur Adams, of thinking that Dingley died some thirty-one years earlier than he actually did. An updated article by Stratton, "Another Look at John Dingley of Marshfield," will appear in *TAG*, 61:234. *Moore Families*, p. 227-32, gives a well-documented narrative of Dingley's life and some of his early descendants, and shows that he also had two sons named John who died young, and a daughter Mary, who married Capt. Myles Standish's son Josiah, but died without issue.

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From the original church records of GAD HITCHCOCK DD
2nd Church of Christ 1748-1803 Minister of Pembroke
(Now Hanson)

DECEMBER 23, 1768	Hannah, daughter of Isaiah Keen
JUNE 3, 1772	Grace, wife of Jacob Cole, (daughter of Samuel Keen and Ruth Sprague
MAY 18, 1777	Isaiah Keen
MAY 23, 1782	Sprague Keen on Prison Ship New York
JUNE 1783	The Widow Keen (Ruth)
OCTOBER 9, 1778	Josiah Keen, esq. 65 years old
JANUARY 20, 1811	Nathaniel Keen 84 years old
FEBRUARY 3, 1784	Sarah, (widow of Josiah) 67 years old

MARRIAGES

SEPTEMBER 3, 1718	JUDAH WEST m. BETHIA KEEN by Mr. Daniel Lewis of Pembroke
APRIL 3, 1742	PETER WEST m. LYDIA KEEN (both of Kingston) at Plymouth, Mass.
1681	JOSIAH KEEN m. LYDIA BAKER (Lydia, b. 18 Feb. 1659 - d. ca. 1752 Prob. Duxbury

CONTINUATION OF G2 GENEALOGY
Known children of this generation
verified by Pembroke records

JOHN KEEN and REBEKAH BARKER - children - Pembroke records - HANNAH, b. March 1, 1694, ISAAC, b. February 1696, MARCY, b. April 3, 1698, SHADRACK, b. May 1, 1703, FRANCIS, b. June 27, 1707, REBEKAH, b. December 1, 1709, JOHN, b. April 28, 1713, JOSIAH, b. October 19, 1713*.

* John & Josiah listed in records as born in same year 6 months apart. (misprint?)

ABIGAIL KEEN and HOTSEM BISHOP - children - Pembroke records - ABIGAIL, b. February 21, 1716/17.

MATTHEW KEEN and MARTHA McFARLANE - children - Pembroke records - PATIENCE, b. October 3, 1699, RACHALL, b. January 11, 1701, LEAH, b. November 20, 1702, MATTHEW, b. June 24, 1704, EBENEZER, b. July 9, 1707.

ELIZABETH KEEN and JOHN BISHOP - no children found or listed

EPHRAIM KEEN and HANNAH SPROUT - children Pembroke records - MARY, b. December 9, 1705, EPHRAIM, b. March 20, 1707, LAZARUS, b. December, 1710, HANNAH, b. November 13, 1713, ABIGAIL, b. February 21, 1716, WEALTHAN, b. November 8, 1719.

SARAH KEEN and TIMOTHY ROGERS - children - none found or listed

HANNAH KEEN and ISAAC OLDHAM - children - none found or listed

NOTES

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P. 1141 -- HISTORY OF MARSHFIELD

Up to this time Green's Harbor was simply a parish, some of its occupants of lands having houses and homes there, and others owning and cultivating farms or herding their cattle, while they retained their dwellings in Plymouth or Duxbury. About six thousand acres of land, including the two miles, or more than one-third of the present territory of Marshfield, had been granted to individual proprietors. In addition to the above, at various times before 1640, tracts of land varying in extent from fifteen to eighty acres were granted to Joseph Beadle, John Rouse, James Lindall, John Ford, Arthur Howland, William Sherman, John Phillips, Roger Chandler, Samuel Tompkins, Edmund Weston, Ralph Chapman, John Gardner, John Hardmer, Edmund Hawes, John Winslow, Stephen Tracy, George Partridge, Henry Sampson, Experience Mitchell, John Paybody, Abraham Peiree, and William Tubbs. These extracts from the records show clearly enough who were the settlers and occupants of land in Marshfield before its incorporation. In later days, after the incorporation, John Adams, James Adams, Robert Waterman, Anthony Snow, John Branch, Christopher Winter, John Hewett, John Gorham, James Pitney, John Dingley, John Somers, Samuel Baker, Timothy Williamson, John Foster, John Walker, John Low, Thomas Chillingworth, Samuel Sprague, Edward Stevens, Thomas Doggett, Josiah Keen, William Shurtleff, Thomas Little, and John Jones either bought or obtained grants of lands, and may perhaps properly be called second comers

On the 2d of March, 1640/1, it was enacted by the court "that Green's Harbor shall be a Towneship and have all the priveledges of a Towneship that other Townes have, and that it shall be called by the name of Rexhame but now Marshfield." The termination "hame" meant simply "town," and Rexhame or Rexham was another name for Kingstown The Indian name for the territory was Missauca tucket.

Ashdod

As the first families of Duxbury grew and prospered, sons and even sons-in-law needed land of their own. When land could not be carved out of the original homestead grants along the shore, the settlers made their way inland along the North River, taking up portions of the town's Common Land, which then included Pembroke and even farther inland.

Cleared land was at a premium in the early days when hay was prized, and clearing hay fields was tedious work. Meadow lands along streams were very desirable, and it was along South River, Philip's Brook, Kein's Meadow Brook, and Pudding Brook that early homesteads were laid out. Pudding Brook is now in Pembroke but at that time there was no dividing line. All of these streams flow north, a direction that makes some early deeds confusing when "above" and "below" points on a stream are mentioned.

By 1680 Nathaniel Cole and Ralph Thatcher had land by South River, with Robinson, Wadsworth, and Brewster lands nearby. Daniel Alden, Peter West, and William Clark also owned land near South River. Josiah Kein, Sr., had land near Pudding Brook around 1700. It is doubtful if there were any houses in the area that early, perhaps a few, but the land was mostly waiting for permanent settlers.

None of the streets we now know existed then, but there were several well defined Indian paths running generally east and west, or a bit to the southeast. Since these trails followed high ground and were worn by generations of red men, they became the highways of the white men. Several converged near the Ashdod-Pembroke line, with parts still in use today. One was the old path from the Pembroke ponds to Morton's Hole, and it was over this path that the settlers in Mattakesset, now Pembroke, traveled to the Meeting House beside the Old Burying Ground in Duxburrough Town. When Pembroke became a separate town in 1712, the Ashdod settlement was growing, and the path accommodated them. By 1833 Congress Street was laid out, using parts of the old route, while the most Southerly parts continue as Mayflower Street.

In 1706 the Town of Duxburrough found its Meeting House inadequate and voted to "sell some of the Commons to defray the expenses of a New Meeting House." It was at this time that the real settlement of Ashdod began, with families moving in and houses being built. Two of Josiah Kein's sons, Matthew and Josiah, Jr., bought land adjoining their father's, bringing the Kein holdings nearer to the stream that became Kein's Meadow Brook. The "Meadow" has been dropped in the interest of economy and the spelling has changed with the years, but Keene's Brook still flows through Ashdod.

EARLY MASSACHUSETTS MARRIAGES PRIOR TO 1800
by Bailey

As of June 14, 1727, parts of Abington and Scituate est. as Hanover

HANOVER

JOSHUA KEEN of Pembroke and ABIGAIL EAMES Nov. 6, 1756
SHEDRECK KEEN and ELIZABETH TURNER July 8, 1740

BRIDGEWATER

MATTHEW ALLEN 2nd and JANE KEEN December 21, 1787

MIDDLEBOROUGH

JOSEPH KEEN and ANNAH SMITH Mar. 3, 1782
FRANCIS KEEN of Pembroke and SARAH KEITH Oct. 2, 1781
ZOETH TOBEY of Dartmouth to ABIGAIL KEEN Janu. 10, 1782
JOSHUA SPRAGUE and ELIZABETH KEEN (Abington) August 21, 1744
EPHRAIM KEEN of Freetown and MERCY ALLEN Jan. 4, 1738-9

PEMBROKE

ISAIAH KEEN and LYDIA BROWN Apr. 16, 1781
JACOB GURNEY of Abington and ELIZABETH KEEN Dec. 14, 1769
APPOLUS CUSHMAN of Duxboro and ELEANOR KEEN Mar. 1, 1768
ASA KEEN and ZILPHA HOTCH Feb. 18, 1762
CHARLES JOSSELYN and REBECCA KEEN July 10, 1760
JOHN LEAVITT and RUTH KEEN Oct 25, 1759
HUTSON BISHOP and ELIZA KEEN Sep. 3, 1741
FRANCIS KEEN and MARGARET HUNT Nov. 1, 1739
SAMUEL KEEN and MARGARET REDDIN of Scituate Jan. 4, 1737
LOTT THATCHER of Barnstable and RECECCA KEEN Sep. 29, 1730

DUXBURY

JABEZ COLE and GRACE KEEN Aug. 23, 1744

WAREHAM

JOHN KEEN and MARY CLIFTON both of ROCHESTER Jan. 14, 1768

MARSHFIELD

JOSIAH HATCH and MARTHA KEEN Feb. 22, 1787
LOTT KEEN of Pembroke and JOANNA SPRAGUE August 17, 1769
SIMEON KEEN of Pembroke and LYDIA STEPHENS May 16, 1751

KINGSTON

JACOB FISH and SARAH KEEN Oct. 5, 1775

PLYMOUTH

WILLIAM KEEN and MARGARET DREW Dec. 28, 1755
PELEG WEST and LYDIA KEEN both of Kingston Mar. 3, 1742-3

PLYMOUTH COUNTY MARRIAGES

EBENEZER KEEN and MERCY WHITERIDGE of Rochester Dec. 31, 1729
NATHANIEL KEEN of Pembroke and THANKFUL WINSLOW of Marshfield on October 27, 1725

KEAN (see Keen, Keene), Rebeca, d. Snow (Keen) and Rebeca, Aug. 26, 1763. [Rebecca Keen, C.R.1.]

KEEN (see Kean, Keene), Abagail, ch. Galen and Diana, Oct. 17, 1707.
Abel, ch. Samuel and Ruth, Sept. 9, 1724. [ch. Samuel and Ruth (d. William Sprague), Sept. 3, P.R.182.]
Abel, s. Levi, bp. June 10, 1770. C.R.1.
Abel, s. Asher and Desire, Apr. 4, 1777.
Abigail, d. Ephraim and Hannah, Feb. 21, 1716–17.
Abigail, ch. Joshua and Abigail, bp. Aug. 22, 1762. C.R.1.
Abigail, ch. Isaac 3d and Anna, Jan. 31, 1764. C.R.4.
Abigail [———], w. Asa [July —, 1772]. C.R.1.
Abigail (see Abagail).
Abigail, ch. Daniel and Betsey, Mar. 26, 1813.
Abigail Barstow, d. Asa Jr. and Abigail, July 8, 1794.
Abigale, d. Isaac and Abigale, Apr. 6, 1743. C.R.4.
Abraham, ch. Isaac 3d and Anna, June 1, 1768. C.R.4.
Abraham (see Heabream).
Allethea, d. Asa and Zilpha, Nov. 8, 1766. [Alethea, C.R.1.]
Andrew, s. Asher and Hannah, Aug. 1, 1771.
Andrew, ch. Asher, bp. June 29, 1777. C.R.1.
Anna Faunce, d. Nahum, trader, and Ann, Aug. 20, 1846.
Asa, s. Nathaniel and Thankfull, Nov. 28, 1732.
Asa, s. Asa, bp. June 14, 1772. C.R.1.
Asa, s. Asa Jr. and Abegail, Aug. 5, 1796.
Asher, s. Sam[ue]l, bp. Sept. 9, 1739. C.R.1. [ch. Samuel and Ruth (d. William Sprague), b. July 17, P.R.182.]
Benjamin, s. Benjamin and Deborah, Dec. 2, 1724.
Bethiah, d. Joshua, bp. Aug. 24, 1766. C.R.1.
Betsey, ch. Isaiah and Lydia, Mar. 9, 1790. [Betty, C.R.2.] [Betsey, ch. Isaiah and Lydia (Bourn), P.R.122.]
Bille, ch. Mary Swan (d. Francis Keen), bp. June 21, 1767. C.R.1.
Cenea, d. Snow and Rebecca, Dec. 18, 1773.
Charles, ch. Daniel and Betsey, July 5, 1808.
Charles H. A., s. Charles Jr., shoemaker, and Betsey W., Mar. 2, 1849, in Duxbury.
Chloe Wing, ch. Joseph Jr. and Chloe, Aug. 2, 1804.
Christianay, d. Levi and Eunis, Mar. 10, 1759. [Christiana, C.R.1.]
Daniel, ch. Isaac 3d and Anna, Dec. 13, 1770. C.R.4.
Daniel Wing, s. Daniel and Betsey, Mar. 6, 1806.
Dan[ie]ll, s. Isaiah and Ruth, Mar. 8, 1775. [Daniel, P.R.123.]
Deborah, d. Isaac Jr. and Lydia [(Jones) P.R.44.], Apr. 4, 1739.
Deborah, d. Prince, bp. Dec. 27, 1761. C.R.1.
KEEN, Deborah, ch. Isaiah and Lydia [(Bourn) P.R.122.], Jan. 11, 1788.
Diana, ch. Galen and Diana, Jan. 21, 1705.
Diana H., ch. Eben[eze]r B. and Mehetabel, Feb. 4, 1810. [Keene, ch. Ebenezer Bourn (Keen) and Mehittable (Phillips), P.R.117.]
Druzilla, ch. Eben[eze]r B. and Mehetabel, Mar. 20, 1812. [Drusilla Keene, ch. Ebenezer Bourn (Keen) and Mehittable (Phillips), P.R.117.]
Ebenezer, s. Matthew and Martha, July 9, 1707.
Eben[eze]r, ch. Eben[eze]r B. and Mehetabel, May 3, 1816. [Keene, ch. Ebenezer Bourn (Keen) and Mehittable (Phillips), P.R.117.]
Eben[eze]r B., ch. Isaiah and Lydia, Feb. 11, 1782. [Ebenezer Bourn Keen, h. Mehittable (Phillips), P.R.117.] [Ebenezer B., ch. Isaiah and Lydia (Bourn), P.R.122.]
Ebenezer Bourn, s. Thomas and Deborah (Gurney), Sept. 24, 1808. P.R.123.
Edna, ch. Isaiah and Ruth, Feb. —, 1770. P.R.123. [Keene, w. Thomas Gardner, Feb. 3, P.R.164.]
Edna, ch. Isaiah and Lydia [(Bourn) P.R.122.], Jan. 21, 1704.
Eleanor, d. Isaac Jr. and Lydia [(Jones) P.R.44.], Aug. 13, 1748.
Elisha, s. Jo[h]n and Mary, bp. July 22, 1739. C.R.1.
Elisha, ch. Elisha [and] Rebecca, June 6, 1814.
Elizabeth, ch. Isaac 3d and Anna, Jan. 28, 1766. C.R.4.
Ephraim, s. Ephraim and Hannah, Mar. 20, 1707.
Eunis, d. Levi and Eunis, Nov. 28, 1760. [Eunice, C.R.1.]
Faith, ch. Galen and Diana, Oct. 22, 1803.
Francis, s. John and Rebekah, June 27, 1707.
Francis, s. Francis and Margaret, June 20, 1740.
Francis Elmore, s. James, ship wright, and Lucinda, May 4, 1847.
Freeman, June 11, 1774. P.R.182.
Galain, s. Isaiah and Ruth, Jan. 19, 1768. [Galen, P.R.123.]
Grace, ch. Samuel and Ruth [(d. William Sprague) P.R.182.], Jan. 26, 1726.
Hannah, d. John and Rebec[ka]h, Mar. 1, 1694.
Hannah, d. Ephraim and Hannah, Nov. 13, 1713.
Hannah, d. Levi and Unice, Dec. 29, 1747.
Hannah, d. Snow and Rebeca, Oct. 24, 1777.
Hannah, d. Asher and Desire, July 20, 1780.
Hannah Bisbe, d. Isaiah and Ruth, Oct. 12, 1763. [Hannah Bisbee Keene, Oct. 2, P.R.123.]
KEEN, Heabream, [twin] ch. ———, Oct. 23, 1787. P.R.182.
Isaac, s. John and Rebekah, Feb. —, 1696.
Isaac, s. Isaac Jr. and Lydia [(Jones) P.R.44.], Apr. 27, 1736.
Isaac, ch. Isaac Jr., bp. Nov. 5, 1738. C.R.1.
Isaac, ch. Isaac 3d and Anna, Aug. 11, 1777. C.R.4.
Isaac, ch. Daniel and Betsey, May 4, 1815.
Isaiah, s. Samuel and Ruth, Jan. 19, 1732–3. [Kee, ch. Samuel and Ruth (d. William Sprague), P.R.182.]
Isaiah, s. Isaiah and Ruth, Aug. 19, 1761.
Isaiah, ch. Isaiah and Lydia [(Bourn) P.R.122.], Mar. 10, 1801.
Jacob, s. John Jr. and Mary, Nov. 21, 1731.
James, s. Asa and Zilpha, Dec. 30, 1764.
James, s. Asa Jr. and Abigail, May 28, 1797.
James, ch. James and Sally, Sept. 7, 1809.
James, ch. Elisha [and] Rebecca, June 22, 1816. [Keene, C.R.6.] [Keen [h. Lucinda (Winsor)], P.R.27.]
James Sprague, s. Thomas, shoemaker, and Betsey, Oct. 30, 1844. [Keene, ch. Thomas and Betsy G. (Goldthwait), P.R.138.]
Joanna, ch. Galen and Diana, Aug. 24, 1800.
Joanna White, [twin] d. Asher and Hannah, July 11, 1766.
Joanna White, d. Asher, bp. July 27, 1777. C.R.1.
John, s. John and Rebeckah, Apr. 28, 1713.
John, s. John Jr. and Mary, July 16, 1729.
John, Apr. 19, 1782. P.R.182.
John, s. Lem[ue]l Jr. and Mary, Sept. 10, 1787.
John, s. Joseph Jr. and Chloe, Aug. 5, 1812.
John A., ch. Isaiah and Lydia, Sept. 27, 1805. [John Allen Keen, C.R.2.] [Keene, C.R.3.] [John Allen Keen, ch. Isaiah and Lydia (Bourn), P.R.122.]
John White, [twin] s. Asher and Hannah, July 11, 1766.
John White, ch. Asher, bp. June 29, 1777. C.R.1.
Josealhus, May 18, 1779. P.R. 182.
Joseph, ch. Joseph and Rebeccah, Sept. 1, 1771. C.R.4.
Joseph, ch. Joseph Jr. and Chloe, Jan. 26, 1800.
Josephus (see Josealhus).
Joshua, s. Nathaniel and Thankfull, Dec. 13, 1730.
Joshua, s. Joshua and Abigal, June 23, 1758.
Joshua, ch. Joshua and Abigail, bp. Aug. 22, 1762. C.R.1.
Josiah, s. John and Rebekah, Oct. 19, 1713.
Joslah, s. Joslah Jr. and Rebekah, Feb. 20, 1722.
Josiah, s. Joshua, bp. June 17, 1764. C.R.1.
Joslah, ch. Isaac 3d and Anna, Sept. 26, 1781. C.R.4.
Jubal, s. Francis, bp. Nov. — [1756]. C.R.1.
KEEN, Judah, ch. Samuel and Ruth (d. William Sprague), Mar. 14, 1743. P.R.182.
Judah, s. Asher and Hannah, Sept. 9, 1768.
Judah, ch. Asher, bp. June 29, 1777. C.R.1.
Labher, Dec. 19, 1771. P.R.182.
Lamuel, s. Isaac Jr. and Lydia, July 23, 1734. [Lemuel, ch. Isaac and Lydia (Jones), P.R.44.]
Lazarus, s. Ephraim and Hannah, Dec. —, 1710.
Lazarus, ch. Ephraim, bp. Oct. 17, 1714. C.R.1.
Leah, d. Matthew and Martha, Nov. 20, 1702.
Lemme, ch. Isaac Jr., bp. Nov. 5, 1738. C.R.1.
Lemuel (see Lamuel).
Levi, s. Levi and Unice, Feb. 16, 1752.
Levic, ch. Samuel and Ruth, Aug. 12, 1722. [Levi, ch. Samuel and Ruth (d. William Sprague), P.R.182.]

Lewis, ch. Daniel and Betsey, Nov. 9, 1810.
Lot, s. Isaac Jr. and Lydia [(Jones) P.R.44.], Mar. 6, 1743.
Luce, d. Snow and Rebeca, July 2, 1767. [Lucy, C.R.1.]
Luther, ch. Ebenezer B. and Hilly, May 23, 1805. [Keene, ch. Ebenezer Bourn (Keen) and Mehittable (Phillips), P.R.117.]
Lydia, d. Isaac Jr., bp. Nov. 1, 1741. C.R.1.
Lydia, d. Isaac Jr. and Lydia [(Jones) P.R.44.], Aug. 12, 1746.
Lydia, d. Snow and Rebeca, Sept. 28, 1765.
Lydia, ch. Isaiah and Lydia, June 26, 1784. [ch. Isaac, P.R.1.] [ch. Isaiah and Lydia (Bourn), P.R.122.]
Lydiah, d. Josiah Jr. and Rebekah, Feb. 18, 1720.
Marry, d. John and Rebekah, Apr. 3, 1698.
Marcy, ch. Joseph and Rebeccah, Mar. 24, 1763. C.R.4.
Margery, ch. Galen and Diana, Nov. 3, 1799.
Mark, s. Asher and Desire, Apr. 13, 1778.
Mary, d. Ephraim and Hannah, Dec. 9, 1705.
Mary, ch. Joseph and Rebeccah, Nov. 7, 1765. C.R.4.
Matthew, s. Matthew and Martha, June 24, 1704.
Mehetabel, ch. Eben[eze]r B. and Mehetabel, Jan. 29, 1814. [Mehitable Keene, ch. Ebenezer Bourn (Keen) and Mehittable (Phillips), P.R.117.]
Mercy (see Marcy).
Mercy, d. Joshua, bp. July 11, 1773. C.R.1.
Meschech, s. Francis, bp. Oct. 8, 1758. C.R.1.
Molle, d. Snow and Rebeca, Oct. 2, 1761. [Molly, C.R.1.]
Molly, ch. Isaac 3d and Anna, Apr. 26, 1773. C.R.4.
Moses, s. Samuel, bp. July 26, 1741. C.R.1. [ch. Samuel and Ruth (d. William Sprague), b. June 13, P.R.182.]
KEEN, Moses, Sept. 14, 1769. P.R.182.
Nahum, ch. Ebenezer B. and Hilly, May 18, 1808. [Keene, ch. Ebenezer Bourn (Keen) and Mehittable (Phillips), P.R.117.]
Nancy, d. Francis and Margel, bp. June 7, 1761. C.R.1.
Nancy, ch. Galen and Diana, July 26, 1805.
Nathaniel, s. Nathaniel and Thankfull, Sept. 2, 1726.
Nathaniel, s. Joshua, bp. Aug. 3, 1777. C.R.1.
Nye, s. Levi and Unice, June 13, 1740.
Oren, s. Eben[eze]r B. and Mehetabel, Mar. 22, 1818. [Orrin Keene, C.R.3.] [Orin Keene, ch. Ebenezer Bourn (Keen) and Mehittable (Phillips), May 21, P.R.117.]
Patience, d. Matthew and Martha, Oct. 3, 1699.
Patience, d. Isaac Jr. and Lydia [(Jones) P.R.44.], May 7, 1751.
Phillip, s. Levi and Eunis, Oct. 6, 1763. [Philip, C.R.1.]
Priscilla B., ch. Isaiah and Lydia, July 23, 1708. [Priscilla Bourn Keen, C.R.2.] [Priscilla B., ch. Isaiah and Lydia (Bourn), P.R.122.]
Rachall, d. Marthew and Martha, Jan. 11, 1701.
Rebecca, d. Josiah Esq. and Sarah, Jan. 5, 1762.
Rebeccah, ch. Joseph and Rebeccah, Apr. 14, 1760. C.R.4.
Rebekah, d. John and Rebekah, Dec. 1, 1709.
Ruth, ch. Samuel and Ruth (d. William Sprague), Dec. 3, 1737. P.R.182.
Ruth, d. Levi and Eunis, Sept. 15, 1761.
Ruth, d. Joshua, bp. July 12, 1772. C.R.1.
Ruth, Oct. 26, 1776. P.P.182.
Ruth S., ch. Isaiah and Lydia, Sept. 9, 1786. [Ruth Sprague Keen, C.R.2.] [Ruth Sprague Keen, ch. Isaiah and Lydia (Bourn), P.R.122.]
Ruthey Wing, ch. Joseph Jr. and Chloe, Nov. 18, 1797.
Sabra, d. Levi and Eunis, Mar. 19, 1757. [Seyberry, C.R.1.]
Sallea, [twin] ch. ———, Oct. 23, 1787. P.R.182.
Sallee, d. Joshua, bp. May 27, 1770. C.R.1.
Sally, ch. James and Sally, Sept. 26, 1800.
Samuel, ch. Samuel and Ruth, Mar. 17, 1729–30. [Keene; ch. Samuel and Ruth (d. William Sprague), Mar. 17, 1729, P.R.182.]
Samuel, s. Asher and Desire, June 4, 1775.
Sam[ue]l, ch. Asher, bp. June 29, 1777. C.R.1.
Samuel, Aug. 18, 1784. P.R.182.
Sam[ue]ll, s. Levi and Eunis, Apr. 7, 1754. [Samuel, C.R.2.]
Sam[ue]ll, s. Isaiah and Ruth, July 9, 1771. [Samuel, P.R.123.]
Sarah, d. Josiah and Sarah, Oct. 7, 1758.
KEEN, Sarah, d. Isaiah and Ruth, Aug. 16, 1774.
Sarah, ch. Isaiah and Lydia, Dec. 28, 1792. [Sally, C.R.2.] [Sarah, ch. Isaiah and Lydia (Bourn), P.R.122.]
Sena (see Cenea).
Seth, ch. Isaac 3d and Anna, Aug. 11, 1775. C.R.4.
Shadrach, s. John and Rebekah, May 1, 1703.
Silva, ch. Joseph and Rebeccah, Apr. 3, 1757. C.R.4.
Snow, s. Nathaniel and Thankfull, Mar. 7, 1734.
Snow, s. Snow and Rebeca, Jan. 27, 1770.
Snow, s. Snow, bp. June 30, 1771. C.R.1.
Sophia, ch. James and Sally, June 24, 1805.
Sprague, s. Isaiah and Ruth, July 25, 1759.
Sprague, ch. Galen and Diana, Apr. 14, 1802.
Sylvia (see Silva).
Tabitha, d. Mrs. Keen, bp. July 28, 1754. C.R.2.
Thankfull, d. Nathaniel and Thankfull, Dec. 11, 1737. [Thankful, C.R.1.]
Thankfull, d. Snow and Rebeca, Oct. 30, 1757. [Thankful, C.R.1.]
Thirza, ch. Isaiah and Lydia, Dec. 19, 1796. [Thirsa, C.R.2.] [Thirza, ch. Isaiah and Lydia (Bnurn), P.R.122.]
Thomas M., ch. James and Sally, Aug. 24, 1807. [h. Betsy G. Goldthwait, P.R.138.]
Tranecy, ch. Joseph and Rebeccah, June 1, 1768. C.R.4.
Welthean, d. Ephraim and Hannah, Nov. 8, 1710.
William, s. Samuel and Ruth, Dec. 9, 1720. [Sept. 3, P.R.182.]
William (see Bille).
William Howland, ch. Joseph Jr. and Chloe, Feb. 28, 1802.
Zadock, s. Thankfull, Mar. 10, 1776.
Zebulun, s. Isaiah and Ruth, Sept. 12, 1765. [Zebulon, P.P.123.]
Zilpah J., d. Abel, calker, and Lydia, Dec. 7, 1844. [Zylpha James Keene, ch. Abel and Lydia B. (Samson), Nov. 13, P.R.45.]
Zoeth, ch. Isaac 3d and Anna, Aug. 18, 1762. C.R.4.

KEENE (see Kean, Keen), Abbott D., s. Orrin and Hannah B. [Sept. —, 1840]. G.R.3.
Abel [h. Lydia B.] [Aug. —, 1807]. G.R.1. [[h. Lydia B. Samson] Aug. 26, 1809, P.R.45.]
Abel W., farmer, s. Abel and Lydia B. [dup. (Samson)], Nov. 22, 1842. R.R. P.R.45.
Benjamin [h. Nancy (Sherman) ([wid.] Nethaniel Joyce)], Aug. 26, 1798. P.R.39.
Benjamin S., ch. Benjamin and Nancy (Sherman), Jan. 20, 1832. P.R.39.
KEENE, Bethiah A., d. John A. and Elvira B. [Aug. —, 1844]. G.R.3.
Betsey W. [———], w. Charles 2d, —— [1829]. C.R.1. [w. Charles Jr., G.R.1.]
Catherine L., ch. Benjamin and Nancy (Sherman), Nov. 28, 1833. P.R.39.
Charles [h. Welthea], —— [1801]. G.R.7.
Daniel, ——, 1837. G.R.3.
Deborah L. [———], w. Nahum, —— [1830]. G.R.6.
Elisha [h. Rebecca] [Nov. —, 1778]. G.R.6. [ch. Lot and Joanna (Sprague), Nov. 25, 1770, P.R.44.]
Elisha, ch. Elisha and Rebecca (Randall), June 13, 1804. P.R.44.
Elsie J., ch. Benjamin and Nancy (Sherman), Oct. 15, 1836, in Marshfield. P.R.39.
Elvira B. [———], w. John A. [June —, 1807]. G.R.3.
Ephraim, ch. Lot and Joanna (Sprague), ——, 1781. P.R.44.
George, ch. Lot and Joanna (Sprague), July 3, 1777. P.R.44.
George H. [h. Phebe] [Dec. —, 1837]. G.R.7.
George H., shoemaker, s. Charles and Welthea, May 31, 1840. P.R.
Hannah B. [———], w. Orrin, —— [1822]. G.R.3.
Henry, ch. Benjamin and Nancy (Sherman), Aug. 20, 1841. P.R.39.
Ichabod [h. Tirzy], —— [1785]. G.R.7.
James, ch. Lot and Joanna (Sprague), July 4, 1775. P.R.44.
James, ch. Elisha and Rebecca (Randall), June 25, 1806. P.R.44.

KEEN (see Keene), Abel and Lydia B. Samson, Dec. 11 [1834].* [Abel Keene, 25, and Lydia B. Samson, 26, P.R.45.]
Abgil, d. Benjmin and Deabrah, and Prinse Barker, s. Isaac and Eelizebth, Nov. 6, 1746.* C.R.4.
Abigail, d. Isaac and Abigail dec'd, and Ebenezer Allen, s. Danil and Elizabeth dec'd of Sandwitch, Barnstable Co., June 25, 1783.* C.R.4.
Abigail and Josiah Ripley, Dec. 1, 1814.*
Abigail Booth and Abner Shepard of Dartmouth, Mar. 16, 1794.*
Africa of Abington, and Betsey T. Keen, int. Mar. 27, 1845.
Alethea and Thomas Smith Coleman, Aug. 28, 1788.*
Asa and Zilpha Hatch, Feb. 18, 1762.* [Zilpah, P.R.191.]
Asher and Desire Witherel, Jan. 11, 1775.*
Benjamin and Deborah Howland, Mar. 15, 1719-20.*
Bethia and Judah West of Plymouth, Sept. 3, 1718.*
Betse and David Church, Jan. 8, 1703.*
Betsey T. and Africa Keen of Abington, int. Mar. 27, 1845.
KEEN, Charles and Ruthy Magoun, Oct. 20, 1816.* [int. Mar. 11, P.R.2.]
Charles Jr. of Duxbury, and Betsey W. Briggs, int. July 20, 1845.
Daniel and Betsey Turner of Hanover, July 25, 1805.*
Diana of Duxborough, and Rufus Curtis of Abington, Nov. 29, 1802.*
Diana and Isaac Ramsdel, Oct. 9, 1816.* [int. Sept. 15, P.R.2.]
Edna and Thomas Gardet, Feb. 11, 1790.* [Keene, and Thomas Gardner, P.R.164.]
Edna and Peleg Cook of Abington, int. Dec. 21, 1809. P.R.2.
Eleanor and Appoles Cushman of Duxborough, Mar. 1, 1768.* [Apollos, P.R.191.]
Elinor and Joseph Thomas, Apr. 24, 1718.*
Elisha and Rebecca Randal, May 14, 1813.* [int. Apr. 5, P.R.2.]
Elisha Jr. and Hannah Stewart, Dec. 16, 1842.*
Elizabeth and Hudson Bishop, Sept. 3, 1741.*
Elizabeth and Jacob Guerney [of] Abington, Dec. 14, 1769.*
Francis and Margaret Hunt, Nov. 1, 1739.*
Galen and Diana Garnet, Feb. 2, 1794.*
Hannah and John Blyth of Abington, Apr. 12, 1720.*
Hannah and James Hall of Marshfield, Nov. 19, 1770, in Marshfield.*
Hannah and David Sherwin of Bridgwater, Aug. 25, 1803.*
Hannah, Mrs., and Lot Keen, Dec. 18, 1817.* [Int. Dec. 2, P.R.2.]
Ichabod and Ruth Ward of Marshfield, —— [1840].*
Isaac and Deborah Dwelley, Feb. 17, 1724, in Scituate.*
Isaac and Abigail Booth, Aug. 30, 1726.*
Isaac and Abigail Kent of Marshfield, Feb. 16, 1773, in Marshfield.*
Isaac Jr. and Lydia Turner, Mar. 24, 1804.*
Isaac, s. Isaac and Abigail dec'd, and Hannah Barker, d. Robert and Hannah dec'd of Hanover, Dec. 12, 1804.* C.R.4.
Isaiah and Lydia Bourn, Apr. 16, 1781.*
James [dup. Keene] of Duxborough, and Sally Magoun, Mar. 6, 1800.* [Keen, P.R.186.]
James 2d and Lucinda Winsor of Duxbury, Int. Dec. 20, 1844. [m. Jan. 5, 1845, P.R.27.]
Joanna and Isaac Randal, Dec. 20, 1812.* [Int. Nov. 12, P.R.2.]

*Intention not recorded

*Private record (information came from a private source)

KEEN, Joseph Jr. and Chloe Wing of Hanover, Jan. 8, 1705, in Hanover.*
Joshua Jr. and Lydia Crooker Jr., July 13, 1780.*
Lemuel and Mary Josselyn, Jan. 22, 1784.*
Lem[ue]l and Lucy Joyce of Marshfield, June 7, 1812.* [int. Apr. 20, P.R.2.]
Levi and Eunice Jennings, Feb. 19, 1746-7.*
Lot and Joanna Sprague of Marshfield, Aug. 17, 1769, in Marshfield.* [Keene, P.R.44.]
Lot and Mrs. Hannah Keen, Dec. 18, 1817.* [int. Dec. 2, P.R.2.]
Lydia and Georg Partridg, Mar. 18, 1712-13.*
Lydia B. and Nathaniel T. Lewis, Dec. 1 [1833].*
Marcy and Nath[anie]ll Magoun, May 16, 1785.*
Margaret and Solomon Leavit, Aug. 31, 1756.*
Mary and Robert Macklathlen, Oct. 13, 1763.* [McLathlin, P.R.191.]
Mary, d. Joseph and Rebekah, and Abraham Booth Rogers, s. John and Sarah of Marshfield, Dec. 1, 1791.* C.R.4.
Mary and Moses Jones of Abington, Jan. 13, 1814.* [int. Sept. 23, 1813, P.R.2.]
Mercy (see Marcy).
Mercy and Peleg Samson, Aug. 11 [1822].*
Molle Swan and Perrey Harden, July 25, 1779.* [Moll Swan Keen and Perry Harden, P.R.191.]
Nathaniel and Thankful Winslow of Marshfield, Oct. 27, 1725, in Marshfield.*
Nathaniel and Margery Oldham, Jan. 29 [1832].*
Oren of Hanson, s. Eben[eze]r and w., and Hannah B. Ramsdell, d. David dec'd and w., int. Aug. 6, 1848.
Patience and Elisha Hatch of Scituate, Oct. 30, 1718.*
Peggey and Sam[ue]ll Rider, June 19, 1774.* [Peggy and Sam[ue]l Rider, P.R.191.]
Polly and Joseph Eastes, Oct. 28, 1800.*
Prince of Duxborough, and Elisabeth Foord, Mar. 7, 1758.* [Elizabeth Ford, P.R.191.]
Rebecca 3d and Charles Josslyen, July 10, 1760.* [Rebec 3d and Charles Josselyn, P.R.191.]
Rebecca and William Doll of Boston, Jan. 21, 1791.*
Rebecca and Gridley Studley of Hanover, July 11, 1820.*
Rebeckah and Lot Thatcher of Barnstable, Sept. 29, 1730.*
Ruth and John Leavitt, Oct. 25, 1759.*
Ruth Sprague and Cyrus White, Aug. 10, 1806.*
Sam[ue]l and Margaret Redding of Situate, Jan. 4, 1737.*

KEEN, Sarah and Elisha Turner, Dec. 26, 1781.*
Sarah and Miles Standish, Apr. 16, 1792.*
Sarah and Zebulon Nash, Sept. 8, 1816.* [int. July 19, P.R.2.]
Sarah and Timothy Percival of Sandwich, June 27 [1838].*
Silve, d. Isaac and Abgil, and John Allen of Sandwich, Barnstabel Co., s. Judah and Rebecka, Mar. 27, 1751.* C.R.4.
Snow and Rebeckah Burbank of Plymouth, Nov. 25, 1756, in Plymouth.*
Solomon and Lucia Randall of Duxbury, Nov. 25, 1807.*
Sophia, d. James and Sarah, and James Almy of New Bedford, s. George B. and Elizabeth of Warwick, Kent Co., R.I., Sept. 6, 1832.* C.R.4.
Sylvia (see Silve).
Thirza and Isaiah Stetson, Apr. 28, 1814.* P.R.123.
William and Maria W. Bates, int. Oct. 2, 1842.

KEENE (see Keen), Benjamin and Nancy Sherman, Nov. 26, 1828.* P.R.39.
Ebenezer B. and Mehitabel Phillips, Dec. 8, 1804.* P.R.122.
Lydia and Shadrach Thomas, Dec. 28, 1800.* P.R.155.
Thomas and Betsy G. Goldthwait, Sept. 7, 1837.* P.R.138.

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KEEN (see Keene), Abagail (see Nabby B.).
Abigail, w. Isaac, mother of Abigail, Apr. 28, 1774. C.R.4.
Abigail, ch. Daniel and Betsey, Apr. 16, 1815. [burnt, P.R.3.]
Abigail, old age, Apr. 30, 1843, a. 80. [ch. Isaac 3d and Anna, C.R.4.] [Abagail, P.R.3.] [Abigail, a. 79, P.R.4.]
Abraham, ch. Isaac 3d and Anna, May 26, 1769. C.R.4.
Althea, consumption, Dec. 3, 1842, a. 37. [Alethea, P.R.4.] [Allthea C. Keene, a. 37 y. 9 m., P.R.45.]
Anna, w. Isaac, Sept. 8, 1803. C.R.4.
Asa, Feb. 6, 1810, in 78th y. [h. Zilpah] a. 78, G.R.1.]
Asa Jr., Dec. 19, 1877, a. 56. G.R.1. [Keene, a. 57, P.R.15.]
Bengman [of] Marshfeild, May 25, 1828 [? in Marshfield]. P.R.3.
Benjamin, Mr., May 11, 1805.
Clarasa, w. Charles, Jan. 21, 1826. P.R.3.
Cyrus, s. Elisha and Hannah Jr., Sept. 28, 1848, a. 1 y. 9 m. 5 d. G.R.6.
Desire, Aug. 8, 1829. [Dezier, P.R.3.]
Elizabeth, ch. Isaac 3d and Anna, May 20, 1769. C.R.4.
Isaac, July 17, 1815, a. 78 y. 6 m. C.R.4.
Isaac, ch. Daniel and Betsey, May 7, 1816.
Isaac of Duxbury, Mar. 22, 1830, a. 94 [? in Duxbury]. P.R.3.
Isaac [of] Duxbury, Mar. 9, 1845 [? in Duxbury]. P.R.3.
Isaiah, h. Ruth, May 18, 1777. P.R.123.
Isaiah [of] Hanson, Jan. 22, 1838, a. 76 [? in Hanson]. P.R.4.
James, s. James and Sally, Dec. 15, 1809.
James A., a. Abel and w., Sept. 7, 1848, a. 1. [Keene, ch. Abel and Lydia, a. 1 y. 2 m. 28 d., G.R.1.] [Keen, Sept. 6, a. 1, P.R.4.] [James Alvny Keen, Sept. 7, a. 1 y. 2 m. 28 d., P.R.45.]
Joanna, Mrs., Nov. 8, 1816. [Joan, w. Lot, a. 71, G.R.6.] [Joah, w. Lot, P.R.3.]
Joseph, Jan. 12, 1816. P.R.3.
Josiah Esq. [h. Sarah], Oct. 9, 1778, a. 65. G.R.1.
Lot [h. Joan], Mar. 17, 1826, a. 82. G.R.6. [Mar. 18, P.R.3.] [Keene, Mar. 17, P.R.44.]
KEEN, Mahitable, wid. Lemuel, Sept. 26, 1828. P.R.3.
Mary R., d. Asa and Abigail, June 27, 1832, a. 18 y. 10 m. G.R.1. [Keene, P.R.45.]
Mehitable (see Mahitable).
Molly, ch. Isaac 3d and Anna, Jan. 12, 1776. C.R.4.
Nabby B., Jan. 3, 1828, a. 34. G.R.1. [Abngail, d. Asa, P.R.3.] [Abby B., a. 33, P.R.45.]
Nath[anie]l, Jan. 20, 1811, a. 84. [Nahaniel, G.R.1.] [Nethaniel, P.R.3.]
Nath[anie]l, Dec. 13, 1841, a. 34. [Keene [h. Margery], G.R.1.] [Nethanel Keen, P.R.3.] [Nath[anie]l Keen, a. 35, P.R.4.] [Nathaniel Keene, a. 34 y. 4 m., P.R.45.]
Nathaniel R. [dup. Keene, omits R.], s. Solomon and Lucia, Oct. 8, 1813, a. 4 y. 10 m. [dup. a. 5]. G.R.6. [Nethaniel Keen, Oct. 7, P.R.3.]
Ruth, ch. Samuel and Ruth (d. William Sprague), Apr. 18, 1731. P.R.182.
Ruth, w. Isaiah, June —, 1782. P.R.123.
Ruthy, Mrs., Nov. 3, 1817. [Ruth, w. Ch[a]rles, P.R.3.]
Sarah, wid. Josiah Esq., Feb. 3, 1784, a. 67. G.R.1.
Seth, ch. Isaac 3d and Anna, Jan. 21, 1776. C.R.4.
Silvia, ch. Joseph and Rebeceah, Oct. 24, 1824. C.R.4. [Silvey, P.R.3.]
Sprague, — —, 1781, in prison ship. P.R.123.
Sylvia (see Silvia).
Sylvia J., d. Abel and Lydia, dropsy, July 7, 1845, a. 8 m. [Zylpha J. Keene, G.R.1.] [Keene, July 8, P.R.4.] [Zylpha James Keen, July 7, P.R.45.]
Zilpah, Aug. 16, 1800, in 75th y. [w. Asa, a. 75, G.R.1.]
Zobeth, ch. Isaac and Anna, Feb. 22, 1771. C.R.4.
Zylpha J. (see Sylvia J.).
———, wid. Isaiah [of] Hanson, May 17, 1848, a. 86 [? in Hanson]. P.R.4.

KEENE (see Keen), Bethia H., d. John A. and Elvira B., Nov. 2, 1843, a. 0 y. 6 m. 6 d. G.R.3.
Derah [?], w. Isaac, Apr. 1, 1729, a. 26. G.R.1.
James, Nov. 28, 1844. P.R.45.
Rebecca, Feb. —, 1841, a. 81. G.R.7. [Rebecker Keen, Jan. 1, P.R.3.] [Rebecca Keen, Jan. 2, [in] Poorhouse, P.R.4.]
Tirzy, w. Ichabod, May 14, 1830, a. 53. G.R.7. [Keen, P.R.4.]
Zilpha, Apr. 20, 1840, a. 29. P.R.45.

From Pembroke, MA., VR – Births – KEEN / KEEN

James Alvny, June 13, 1847. P.R.45.
Joanna, ch. Lot and Joanna (Sprague), Feb. 3, 1793. P.R.44.
John A. Jr. [Dec. —, 1825]. G.R.3.
Lorenzo, May 27, 1828. G.R.3.
Lucia [———], w. Solomon [Jan. —, 1788]. G.R.6.
Lydia A., Apr. 5, 1835. P.R.45.
Margery [———], w. Nathaniel, ——, 1806. G.R.1.
Mary W., w. John A., ——, 1826. G.R.3.
Nahum [h. Deborah L.] [Mar. —, 1819]. G.R.6.
Nancy S., ch. Benjamin and Nancy (Sherman), Mar. 21, 1830. P.R.39.
Nathan, ch. Lot and Joanna (Sprague), Apr. 3, 1784. P.R.44.
Nathan C., shoemaker, s. Charles and Welthea [dup. (Reed)] Oct. 5, 1830, in Duxbury. R.R.
Nathaniel [h. Margery], ——, 1807. G.R.1.
Pheobe [———], w. George H. [Jan. —, 1843]. G.R.7.
KEENE, Rebecca [———], w. Elisha [Feb. —, 1785]. G.R.6.
Ruth T., Sept. 29, 1840. P.R.45.
Sarah [———], w. James, —— [1778]. G.R.9.
Simeon, ch. Isaac and Deborah (Dwelley), Apr. 23, 1733. P.R.44.
Solemon [h. Lucia], —— [1780]. G.R.6.
Solomon, ch. Lot and Joanna (Sprague), Mar. 29, 1786. P.R.44.
Sophia A., ch. Thomas M. and Betsy G. (Goldthwait), w. Charles A. Bryant, Aug. 30, 1840. P.R.138.
Welthea [— — —]. w. Charles [June —, 1790]. G.R.7.
William, ch. Ebenezer Bourn (Keen) and Mehittable (Phillips), May 30, 1820. P.R.117.

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VR of Pembroke, MA.
to 1850 – pub. NEGHS 1911
Private records (PR)
PR #27– Bible of James Keen, now in possession of Frank Keene of Pembroke.
PR #44– from a Keene family record now in poss. of Carrie Randall , Duxbury.
PR #45– from Bible of Abel Keen, poss. of Lydia Drake of W. Duxbury.
PR #117 from Bible of Ebenezer Keene, now in poss. Frank Keen, S. Hanson.
PR #122 Keene family record, in poss. of Josephine Estes of Hanson
PR #123 Keene family record poss. of Mabel Keene of Hanson.
PR #138 Keene family record of Thomas Keene in poss. Mrs. Chas. Bryant of Pembroke.
PR #182 Ancient Keen record poss. of Minnie Keene of Bachelder.

KAINE (see Keen, Keene, Kein), Abigail [dup. Abigail Keen], d. Josiah Jr. [dup. omits Jr.] and Lidea [dup. Lydia], Apr. 3, 1685.
Benjamen [dup. Benjamin Keen], s. Josiah Jr. [dup. omits Jr.] and Lidea [dup. Lydia], July 26, 1682.
Josiah [dup. Keen], s. Josiah Jr. [dup. omits Jr.] and Lidea [dup. Lydia], Sept. 27, 1683.

KEEN (see Kaine, Keene, Kein), Alonzo, ch. William and Ruth M., Oct. 4, 1834.
Barneas, ch. William and Ruth M., July 19, 1836.
Benjamin B., ch. Charles and Welthea, Mar. 31, 1836.
Charles H., ch. William and Ruth M., Aug. 13, 1842.
George E., ch. William and Ruth M., Mar. 29, 1838.
George H., ch. Charles and Welthea, Feb. 28, 1839.
Horace H., ch. William and Ruth M., Mar. 28, 1840.
Isaac, ch. Isaac and Lucy, Nov. 7, 1807.
James, ch. Isaac and Lucy, July 10, 1824.
Lucy, ch. Isaac and Lucy, Dec. 7, 1805.
Nathan C., ch. Charles and Welthea, Oct. 15, 1825.
Pamela B. R., ch. Isaac and Lucy, Aug. 4, 1822.
KEEN, Peleg T., ch. Isaac and Lucy, May 20, 1810.
Ruth W. [? m.], Aug. 13, 1813. G.R.3.
William H., ch. William and Ruth M., Aug. 23, 1832.
———, d. Asa, Feb. 11, 1831. P.R.105.
———, s. Nath[anie]l, Oct. 4, 1832. P.R.105.

KEENE (see Kaine, Keen, Kein), Hezekiah, s. Josiah, Aug. 6, 1720. P.R.8.
———, d. Nath[anie]l, Dec. 9, 1834. P.R.105.
———, d. Nath[anie]l, July 11, 1838. P.R.105.
———, ch. Peleg, Oct. 3, 1840. P.R.105.
———, s. Nath[anie]l, Nov. 13, 1840. P.R.105.

KEEN, Alice, Oct. 1, 1771. [consumtion, C.R.1.]
Alonzo, ch. William and Ruth M., June 21, 1841.
Barneas, ch. William and Ruth M., June 25, 1841.
Bethiah, w. Isaac, June 3, 1811, a. 72 d. G.R.2.
Chloe [dup. Keene], d. Galen [dup. fever], Apr. 23, 1844, a. 32 [dup. a. 33].
Faitha, d. Galen, Jan. 1, 1830, a. 34.
George E., ch. William and Ruth M., June 19, 1841.
Hannah, Jan. 15, 1834, a. 55, in almshouse.
Hezekiah, Dec. 27, 1770, a. 68. [Keene, s. Josiah, P.R.8.]
Horace H., ch. William and Ruth M., Mar. 29, 1842.
Isaac, Mar. 22, 1830, a. 93 y. 10 m. 14 d. G.R.2.
———, ch. Lemuel, Jan. —, 1760, a. 1 or 2 w.

DINGLEY, JACOB, Marshfield, s. of John, by w. Eliz. had John, and Joseph, and d. 18 Aug. 1691. His wid. d. 30 Mar. 1718. JOHN, Lynn, rem. to Sandwich 1637, thence to Marshfield, a. 1641, and d. 1658; by w. Sarah had Jacob, left. ment.; Mary, wh. m. 19 Dec. 1654, Capt. Josiah Standish, and d. the next yr.; Sarah, prob. wh. m. 1658, William Ford, jr.; and Hannah, wh. m. Josiah Kean; beside prob. that John wh. was bur. 9 July 1665. The fam. spread into Duxbury; and descend. remain in that neighborhood. *RICHARD*, a Bapt. min. of Newport 1685, had come to Boston from Eng. rem. 1694 to S. Carolina. Benedict. Backus, II. 109.

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by Charles Henry Pope

DINGLEY,
John, smith, Sandwich, of military age 4 Dec., 1638, frm. 5 June 1644, town officer. Rem. to Marshfield. Deputy.
Admin. of his est. gr. March 18, 1689-90; distribution made to son Jacob, daus. Sarah, wife of Wm. Ford and Hannah, wife of Josiah Keane, and to gr. son Joseph D.

KEEN (see Cane, Keene, Kein), Asa [dup. [of] Pembrook] and Abigail Barstow [dup. Bearstow], Dec. 29, 1791.*
Bethiah and Isaac Randal Jones, Oct. 15, 1790.*
Diana [dup. Kein] and Noah Simmons, Sept. 19, 1771.* [Keen, C.R.1.]
KEEN, Grace and Jabez Cole, Aug. 23, 1744.*
Lucia and Ephraim Bradford, Feb. 25, 1834.*
Lucy and Briggs Cushman, Jan. 2, 1833.*
Nahum and Ann B. Faunce [of] Pembroke, Sept. 5, 1841.*
Pamela and Joseph Sprague, June 10, 1844.*
Peleg and Ruth Partridge [of] Marshfield, June 23, 1839.*
Robert [of] Bristol, and Mrs. Mercy Louden, Apr. —, 1780.* [Mercy, wid., Apr. 6, C.R.1.]
Sarah [dup. Kein] and Timothy Rogers, Apr. 6, 1710.*
Sylvina and Peleg Thomas, Dec. 6, 1807.*
William [of] Bristol, and Celina Wadsworth, Apr. 27, 1784.*

KEENE (see Cane, Keen, Kein), Abigail and Henry Baker of Marshfield, Nov. 7, 1793, in Marshfield.*
Eleanor of Pembroke, and Appollos Cushman, Mar. 1, 1768, in Pembroke.*
James, 28, carpenter, of Pembroke, b. Pembroke, s. Elisha and w. of Pembroke, and Lucinda Winsor, 30, d. Zenus and Lucinda, Jan. 5, 1845.*
Martha and Josiah Hatch, Feb. 22, 1787, in Marshfield.*
Mathew and Martha Macklarlin, d. Purth of Hingham, Dec. 20, 1608, in Hingham.*
Prince and Elizabeth Foord of Pembroke, Mar. 7, 1758, in Pembroke.*

KEIN (see Cane, Keen, Keene), Samuel [dup. Keen] and Ruth Sprague, Apr. 18, 1719 [dup. Jan. 22, 1718–19].*

* Intention not recorded.

The Josiah Kean house (c. 1680) on Keene Street, past and present.

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PLYMOUTH, MASS., VITAL RECORDS

(Continued from page 54)

[p. 115] 1756 In order for Marriages.

July 17 A Purpose of Marriage Between Thomas Robinson, and Ruth Hatch Both of Plymouth

31 A Purpose of Marriage Between Snow Keen of Pembrook And Rebeekah Burbanks of Plymouth Spoke for Ꝑ Joseph Trask

Augst 13 A Purpose of Marriage Between Peleg Faunce, & Mary Faunce Both of Plymouth, Spoke for Ꝑ Nath^{ll} Holmes

14 A Purpose of Marriage, Between Mr Lazarus Le-Barron Junr; and m^{rs} Mary Lothrop, both of Plymouth

21 A Purpose of Marriage, Between Samuel Soule of Duxboro, & Mehetabel White of Plymouth

28 A Purpose of Marriage, Between, Mr William Watson of Plymouth; & m^{rs} Elizabeth Maston of Salem

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July 3 Jonathan Sanders of Wareham . & Eliz^{a} Tinkcom of Plym^{o} was Marryed at Plym^{o}.

1742 May 13 William Wood of Plym^{o}. & Eliz^{a} Finney of D^{o} at Plymouth

19 Ep^{m} Holmes, of Plym^{o}. & Sarah Finney of D^{o} at Plym^{o}.

1742/3 . Mar^{r} 3 Peter West of Kingston . & Lydia Keen of Kingston Was Marryed at Plym^{o}.

The below excerpts are from
MAYFLOWER FAMILIES - THROUGH FIVE GENERATIONS
Descendants of the Pilgrims who landed at Plymouth, Mass., December 1620

VOLUME THREE - THE GEORGE SOULE & SAMUEL FULLER FAMILIES
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414 APPOLLOS[5] CUSHMAN (Mary[4] Soule, Joseph[3], John[2], George[1]), b. Duxbury 8 April 1744

He m. Pembroke 1 March 1768 ELEANOR KEEN (E), dau. of Isaac and Lydia (Dunce) Keen, b. Pembroke 13 Aug. 1748.

He m. (2) Bristol ME 15 Oct. 1815 ABIGAIL PARTRIDGE. There was no issue from this union.

Children (CUSHMAN): i. PATIENCE[6] ii. JONES b. 1770 iii. ABEL, b. 1773; d.y. iv. LYDIA, b. 1775. v. CEPHAS vi. EZRA vii. ELEANOR viii. ISAAC b. 1781 ix. POLLY, b. 1786. x. ABEL, b. 1788. xi. SENECA. xii. JOSEPH, b. 15 Sept. 1793.

906 SARAH[5] CORY (Patience[4] Haskell, John[3] Haskell, Patience[2] Soule, George[1]), d. prob. Portsmouth after 1 Dec. 1798

She m. Portsmouth RI 23 June 1768 ELISHA SPRAGUE "a resident", son of Joshua Sprague deceased of Rochester and his wife Elizabeth (Keen), b. Abington 27 Aug. 1748; d. bef. 1 Dec. 1798.

Elisha's name appears as witness to deeds and wills in Portsmouth, but does not appear on the division deed of 1 Dec. 1798. He served in the American Revolution

Children (SPRAGUE), prob. b. Portsmouth RI: i. ELIZABETH, b. 10 Nov. 1768. ii. ELISHA, b. 2 March 1770.

References: VR RI PORTSMOUTH; Portsmouth RI LER 8:257 (Division Deed); SPRAGUE GEN; DAR PATRIOT INDEX.

22 LYDIA WOOD[4] (Experience[3] Fuller, Samuel[2-1]), b. ca. 1694, prob. Middleboro; d. after 11 Feb. 1746.

She m. Plymouth 5 Feb. 1718/9 GEORGE HOLMES b. ca. 1690; d. Plymouth in 1746; son of John and Patience (Faunce) Holmes. George was a minor in 1700 (probably the youngest of several minor children) when his mother signed for him in the settlement of his father's estate. He was a cordwainer.

George Holmes in his will dated 11 Feb. 1746, probated 5 March 1746, mentioned his wife Lydia and his son George.

Children (HOLMES), b. Plymouth:

i GEORGE[5], b. 20 Jan. 1720/1; d. Plymouth bef. 5 April 1760; m. there 21 April 1741 LYDIA WEST, b. there 15 June 1725; d. after 8 Jan. 1768; daughter of Judah and Bethia (Keen) West, and a descendent of Richard Warren. On 8 Jan. 1768 Lydia acknowledged in Plymouth a deed of 10 March 1765 to her son George, disposing of her right of dower in a dwelling house and land. Four. pos. five (HOLMES) ch., b. Plymouth: Lydia d.y., George b. 1742, Lydia d.y., Richard b. 1745; and pos. Bethia b. ca. 1746.

ii RICHARD, b. 22 Feb. 1733/4; d. bef. his father.

References: MD 13:111, 113; 14:38, 159; 15:161. Plymouth Co. PR 1:347; 10:181; 15:476; 16:287(George Holmes). Plymouth Co. LR 54:16(Lydia Holmes). (PLYMOUTH) ANC LANDMARKS p. 139.

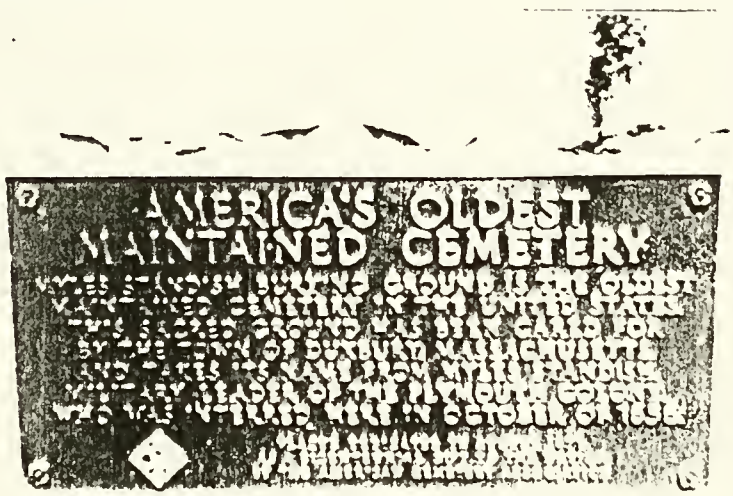
Excerpted from
Genealogical Dictionary of New England
(SAVAGE — V. 3

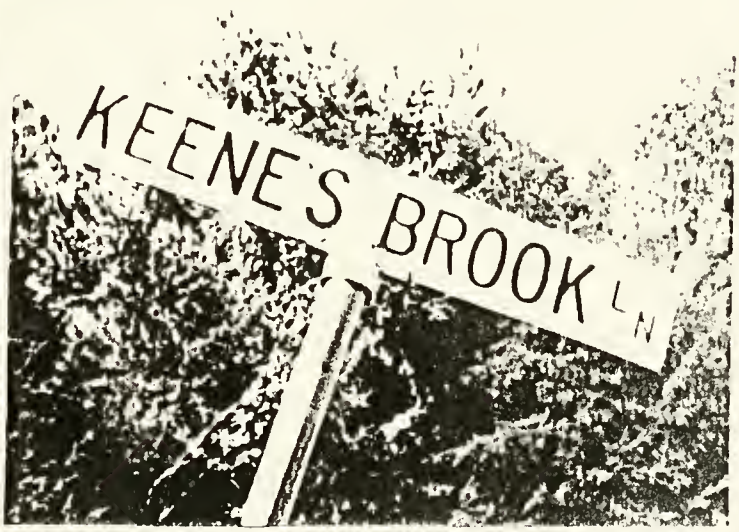
KEEN, or KEAN, ARTHUR, Boston, d. Mar. or Apr. 1687, his will being of 21 Mar. in that yr. pro. 14 Apr. foll. It ment. w. Jane, to wh. he gave all his est. for her life; s. John and d. Sarah Pierce, wh. was w. of William, m. 13 July 1666, equal sh. of remainder. JAMES, Braintree 1645, was capt. JOHN, Boston 1662, mariner, and in few yrs. innholder, may be that passeng. in the Confidence from Southampton, 1638, aged 17, with Martha, 60, wh. may have been his mo. Eliz. Martha, Josias, and Sarah, prob. his br. and sis. JOSIAH, Duxbury, m. Hannah, d. of John Dingley, had John, b. 1661; Josiah; Matthew; and Hannah. The last m. 1695, Isaac Oldham of Scituate. WILLIAM, Salem 1638, of wh. Felt says, he had in that yr. a gr. of ld. and nobody else tells any thing.

DUXBURY INFORMATION ON JOHN KEEN AND FAMILY MEMBERS

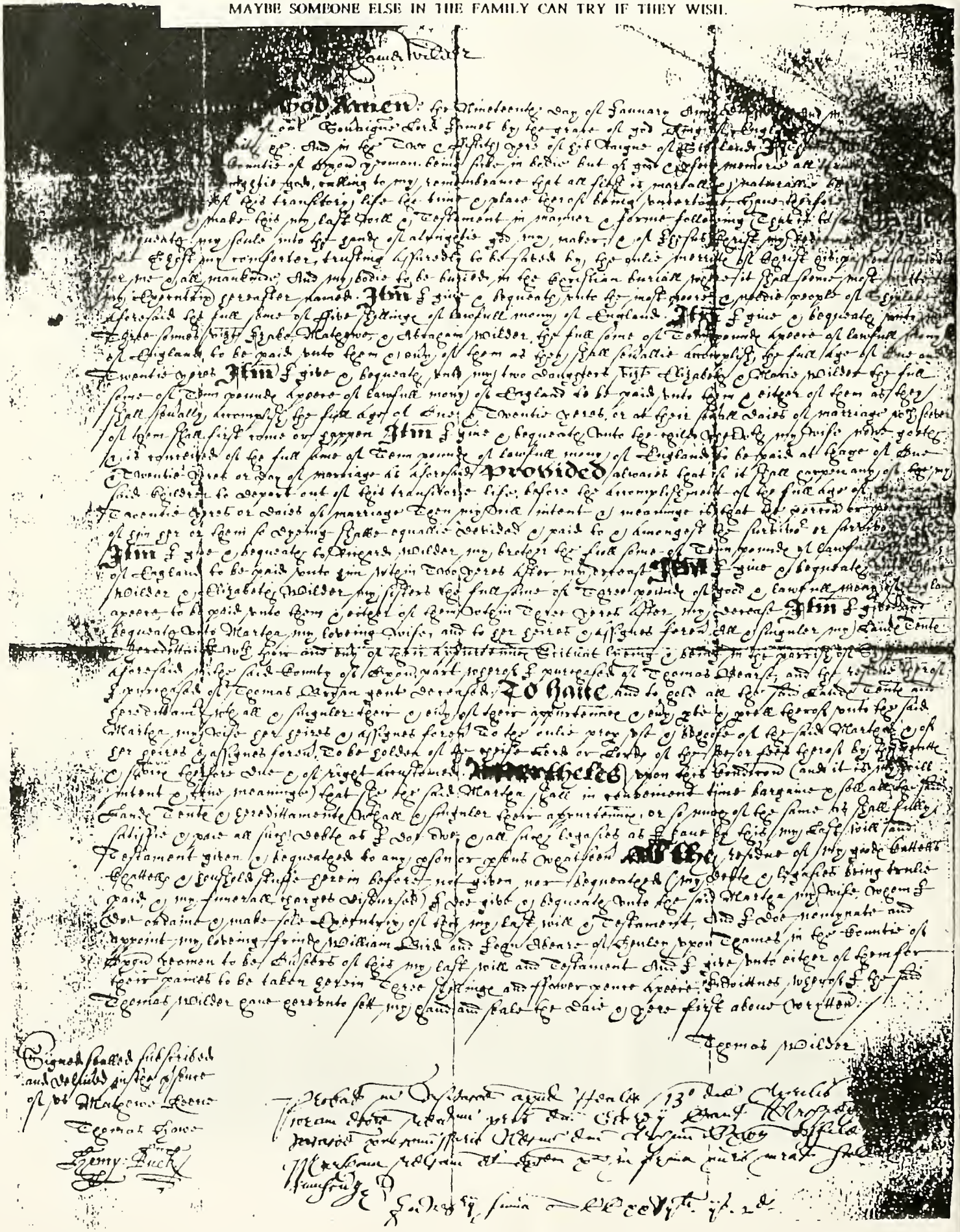
John Keen died on November 14, 1649 in Duxbury, Massachusetts and according to other genealogical records, no one knows exactly where he is buried. I checked the "Old Cemetery" in the heart of Duxbury. Pilgrims Miles Standish and John Alden are buried there and there were stones found dating before 1638, however, no stone for John Keen or any other Keen could be found. I can only assume that some Keen family Bible has the dates and location in it and that is why we have a date, however, we may never know who has it. (See photo).

I found Keene Street (where the Josiah Keen home is located - page 5G) in Duxbury and also Keene's Brook Lane (mentioned in Ashdod article - page 5A). There was an old cemetery on Keene Street but the oldest grave found was in the mid-1700's and only one Keen grave found (Hugh Keen).





A WILDER FAMILY WILL WHICH MAY OR MAY NOT HAVE A CONNECTION TO JOHN OR MARTHA KEEN(E) OF ENGLAND. I DID NOT HAVE IT INTERPRETED. MAYBE SOMEONE ELSE IN THE FAMILY CAN TRY IF THEY WISH.



CEMETERY RECORDS
PEMBROKE, MASSACHUSETTS

MAYFLOWER DESCENDANT 1907 08 V. 9-10

ASA KEEN d. 6 Feb. 1810 (78) ASA KEEN jr d. 19 Dec. 1821 (56)
BRADBURY KEEN dau. of Isaac Keen jr d. 13 Dec. 1729 (3 weeks old)
DEBORAH KEEN Wife of Isaac d. 1 April 1729 (26)
JAMES A. KEEN son of Abel and Lydia P. Keen d. 7 Sept. 1848 (1 year old)
JOSIAH KEEN esq. d. 9 Oct. 1778 (65)
MARY B. KEEN dau of Asa and Abigail Keen d. 27 June 1832 (18)
(Miss) NABBY B. KEEN d. 3 January 1828 (34)1

NATHANIEL KEEN b d. 20 January 1811 (84)
SARAH KEEN widow of Josiah esq. d. 3 February 1784 (67
ZILPHA KEEN wife of Asa Keen d. 16 August 1809 (75)

There are other marriages and deaths mentioned of Keens in the Mayflower Descendant 1911-12 v. 13-14 and MD 1913-14 v 15 16 p 255 and MD 1921-22 v 23-24 p. 78.

THE SOCIETY OF SONS AND DAUGHTERS OF THE PILGRIMS

On p. 208 #8 ref mentions: "The said Philip Eastman was the son of Roger Eastman b. 1611 - d. 16 December 1694 and his wife SARAH KEENE."

ABSTRACTS OF GRAVES OF REVOLUTIONARY WAR PATRIOTS

V. 2 E-K by Patricia Law Hatcher

ASA KEEN	CENTRE CEMETERY	PEMBROKE, MA.
ISAAC KEEN	DINGLEY CEMETERY	N. DUXBURY, MA.
ISAIAH KEEN	FERN HILL CEMETERY	HANSON, MA.
JACOB KEEN	TOLMAN CEMETERY	ROCKLAND, MA.
JOHN KEEN	QUAKER CEMETERY	ROCHESTER, MA.
JOHN KEEN		TURNER, MAINE
JOHN KEEN jr		TURNER, MAINE
JOSIAH KEEN	CENTRE CEMETERY	PEMBROKE, MA.
MESCHACH KEEN		SUMNER, MAINE
SNOW KEEN sr	DINGLEY CEMETERY	PEMBROKE, MA.
WILLIAM KEEN	BURIAL HILL	PLYMOUTH, MA.
ISAIAH KEEN	FERN HILL CEMETERY (W. Parish)	PEMBROKE, MA.

6B

It is documented that many of the Keen family served in the militia or the military

Below is the name and source of information where possible

Massachusetts Society of Sons of the American Revolution

1. LEMUEL KEEN of Pembroke PVT served in Rhode Island 1777-1780 p.170 June 10, 1910
2. JACOB KEENE buried in Rockland, Maine Tolman Burial Ground 1904 Register

MASSACHUSETTS OFFICERS IN THE FRENCH AND INDIAN WARS 1723-1743

NAME	RANK	RESIDENCE	MILITARY EXP.	DATES
JOSIAH KEEN	CORP	PEMBROKE	ST. GEORGE'S FORT	10/23/1723-06/02/1724
JOSIAH KEEN	PVT	PEMBROKE	ST. GEORGE'S FORT	06/02/1725-09/07/1725
JOSUIAH KEEN (sic)	PVT	PEMBROKE	WEST INDIES	04/25/1741-1742
BENJAMIN KEEN	PVT	PEMBROKE	EASTERN FRONTIER	05/51/1754-09/12/1754
ABEL KEEN	LT.-CAPT.	He is listed 15 times from 1755-1762 from the rank of Lieutenant to Captain and serving a Crown Point, Ft. William Henry, Canada, Lunenberg, Nova Scotia and ending his mentions at Crown Point.		

KNOWN MILITARY DEAD OF AMERICAN REVOLUTIONARY WAR 1775-1783

JOSIAH KEEN	PVT	MASS.	DIED 9 OCTOBER 1778
EPHRAIM KEEN	PVT 14	MASS.	DIED 11 MARCH 1778

OFFICIAL ARMY REGISTER VOLUNTEER FORCE OF THE U.S. ARMY

1861-1865 (AMERICAN CIVIL WAR) PART 1 (NEW ENGLAND STATES)

JOHN C. KEENE p.16 Maine Infantry - 3rd Regiment - Killed in action, Gettysburg, PA. 2 July 1863 - Unit organized in Augusta, Maine 4 June 1861 CAPTAIN

JOSIAH F. KEENE p.31 Maine Infantry - 11th Regiment - Unit organized Augusta, Maine November 1861 No battles listed 2nd LIEUTENANT

A.H. KEENE p.37 Maine Infantry - 14th Regiment - 3 December 1861 - 11 August 1863 promoted to CAPTAIN 83rd USCT

SAMUEL F. KEENE P. 46 Maine Infantry - Organized Portland, Maine 29 August 1862 - Killed in action 22 June 1864 CAPTAIN

WESTON H. KEENE p. 46 Maine Infantry - Organized Portland, Maine 29 August 1862 - Killed in action 30 September 1864 CAPTAIN

WILLIAM T. KEEN* p. 195 - Casualty - Resigned (13) 19 March 1862 1st LIEUTENANT - MASSACHUSETTS INFANTRY - 29 REGIMENT

* Only Keen without an (E) on the end of name.

COMPLETE GENERAL NAVY REGISTER

of the United States of America 1776-1887 v.2

JOSIAH E. KEEN 9 MARCH 1878 CARPENTER

There is documentation that both Joshua Keen sr and Joshua Keen jr (our lineage) served in the American Revolutionary war, senior as a Lieutenant and junior as a Private before they made their trek to Maine in 1780 to settle in Shephardsfield (Hebron).

PORTIONS OF WILLS PRINTED IN THE MAYFLOWER DESCENDANT

The Keen family is mentioned throughout wills made in the 1600's and 1700's and apparently the wills were of historical value to the Mayflower Society in tracing descendants.

In Deacon Benjamin Alden's Estate, SHERECK KEEN and ISAAC KEEN are mentioned. Will was allowed 12 August 1741.

In the Will of Miles Standish (3) of Duxbury, HEZEKIAH KEEN is mentioned. Will was allowed 20 May 1746.

In the Will of Grace Wormall, she mentions her daughter Ruth and grandchildren, WILLIAM KEEN, LEVI KEEN, ABEL KEEN, SAMUELL KEEN, JOSIAH KEEN and Grace Cole. The will was allowed 13 January 1748.

All of these decedants lived in Duxbury and the wills are on record with Plymouth County, Massachusetts.

he Dwelt, with all the Houseing Fenceing and Orchards . . . . with all other his Meadow, and Meadow Land within the Town of Duxbourough" £2000.

Furnitore is mentioned: "in the Biggest Lower Room", "in the Easterly Leantoo Chamber", and "in the West Leantoo Chamber". Joshua Drew and Japhet Bicknell were indebted to the estate.

[10: 157] "The acco[t] of Miles Standish of Duxborough . . . . Executor" was allowed 20 May, 1746. The estate had received payments from Joshua Drew, Japhet Bicknal, Jethro Sprague, Jonathan Delano, Benjamin Pryor, Nathaniel Brewster and John Delano. Payments had been made to Priscilla Standish, Eliphaz Weston, John Wadsworth, Hezekiah Keen, John Pryor, "Caleb Jenne & Patience his wife", George Partridge, Eleazer Harlow, Josiah Thomas, Ransom Jackson, William Brewster, Uriah Wadsworth, Abner Weston, "Edw Arnold Esqr", Ebenezer Bartlett, Samuel Weston, Joshua Brewster, Thomas Prince, Seth Brewster, Benjamin Samson, Benjamin Pryor, Richard Adams.

[ESTATE OF PENELOPE[1] STANDISH]

[Plym. Co. Prob. 8: 215] On 7 July, 1740, "Experience Standish of Duxbourough . . . . Widdow" was appointed administratrix on the estate of "Penelope Standish late of Duxbourough afores[d] Spinster Deaceased . . . . Intestate".

[From unrecorded bond] On 7 July, 1740, Experience Standish, widow, of Duxbury, as admioistratrix "on the Estate of her Daughter Penelope Standish", with "Joseph Brewster & Joshua Brewster yeomen", both of Duxbury, gave a bond for £200. Experience Standish signed by a mark. The witnesses were John Winslow and Benjamin Alden.

[From original warrant] On 7 July, 1740, "Edward Arnold Esq[r] Mes[rs] Joseph Brewster & Joshua Brewster all of Duxborough" were appointed to appraise the estate. [Also recorded, 8: 216.]

[From unrecorded inventory] "An Inventory of all & Singular the Estate" of "Penelope Standish Late of Duxborough Singlewoman" was taken, 7 July, 1740, by the three appraisers. No real estate was mentioned. "a Legacy Given her by her Father" amounted to £100. Experience Standish, administratrix, made oath to the inventory, 7 July, 1740.

[8: 242] Experience Standish, the administratrix, presented an account, signed by a mark, on 3 November, 1740, which was approved. Payments had been made to Joshua Brewster, Priscilla Standish, "Doct[r] Harlow".

[DEACON BENJAMIN[2] ALDEN'S ESTATE]

[From original letter] On 21 May, 1741, "David Alden yeoman & Hannah Alden widdo of Duxbor[o]" were appointed administrators on the estate of "Benj[a] Alden Late of Duxbor[o] afores[d] yeoman . . . . Dyed Intestate". [Also recorded, 8: 371.]

[From unrecorded bond] On 21 May, 1741, David Alden, yeoman, and Hannah Alden, widow, as administrators, with Edward Arnold, Esq., and Benjamin Loring, saddler, as sureties, all of Duxbury, gave a bond for £3000. Hannah Alden signed by a mark. The witnesses were Gershom Bradford and Daniel Lewis, Jr.

[8: 375] On 21 May, 1741, Edward Arnold, Esq., Ransom Jackson and Isaac Partridge, yeomen, all of Duxbury, were appointed to appraise the estate of "Dea. Benjamin Allden".

The inventory was taken by the three appraisers, at Duxbury, 9 June, 1741. The real estate was "the Homestead" £1100; "the Salt meadow" £600; "Cedar Swamp" £100; "the fourth part of a Sawmill" £5. The inventory was sworn to by David Alden, administrator, on 10 June, 1741.

[8: 410] The account of David Alden and Hannah Alden, administrators, was sworn to and allowed 12 August, 1741, "45£ being first Set of to y[e] Widdow as necessarys". Payments had been made to Jacob Dingley, Benjamin Pryor, Benjamin Peterson, Dr. Otis, Shereck Keen, Isaac Little, Joseph Bartlett, Ephraim Norcutt, William Carver, Israel Hatch, Nicholas Sever, Esq., Lucy Little, John Brewster, Francis Adams, Joshua Brewster, Philip Chandler, "m[r] Isaac Lothrop Jun[r]", Samuel Bartlett, Esq., John Murdock, Esq., Dr. Lebaron, Robert Brown, Esq., Amos Ford, Isaac Keen, Jnhn Thomas, "m[rs] Waterman", David Samson, Jedediah Bourne, Edward Arnold, Esq., Josiah Bishop, Lararus Samson, Duxbury Trustees, Samuel Ford, Joseph Delano, Joshua Delano, James Thomas, Keziah Holmes, Thomas Croade, Esq., Jeremiah Crooker, David Alden, Mary Wadsworth, Elizabeth Alden.

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[8: 417] On 12 August, 1741, "Wrestling Allden of Duxbor[o] . . . . son of Benjamin Allden of s[d] Duxbor[o] Dec[d] Have named . . . . my uncle Wrestling Brewster of Kingston . . . . yeoman to be my Gaurdian" and the appointment was made. The witnesses were "Jn[o]" Wadsworth, Jr. and Abiel Fuller.

her husband on 21 February, 1712; and on 21 March, 1715/16, the estate was settled, the widow receiving her thirds, and the remainder being divided "among the four Children," "Eldest son Jethro," "Second son Terah," "Eldest daughter Ruth," "Youngest daughter Zurviah." [Plym. Co. Probate Records, III: 203, 394.]

Josiah Wormall and Grace Sprague, both of Duxbury, were married 25 December, 1723. [Ante 4: 72.] Grace Wormall of Duxbury was appointed administratrix of the estate of her late husband Josiah on 3 November, 1738, and the widow's thirds of the real estate were set off to her 7 July, 1740. [Plym. Co. Probate Records, VII: 449, VIII: 239.] Grace Wormall, widow, of Duxbury made her will 13 January, 1748, and it was proved 3 April, 1758. She mentioned sons Jethro Sprague and Terah Sprague; daughter Zerviah Chandler; "my Six Grand Childeren the Childeren of My Daughter Ruth late deced viz, to William Keen, Levi Keen, Abel Keen, Samuell Keen, Josiah Keen, & Grace Cole"; granddaughters Silvina Sprague and Grace Sprague; grandson Reuben Chandler; grandson William Sprague. [Plym. Co. Probate Records, XIV: 503.]

The foregoing abstracts prove that Grace Wadsworth married William Sprague in 1700 or 1701, became a widow in 1712 or 1713, and was married again, in 1723, to Josiah Wormall, whom she survived about twenty years.

Deacon John Wadsworth's fifth daughter, Lydia, was of age, but unmarried, when her father made his will, 23 April, 1700, and had become Lydia Peterson before 4 December, 1723, according to the settlement of her mother's estate. The only Lydia Peterson I could find, who could possibly be the one named in this document, was Lydia the wife of Jonathan Peterson of Duxbury. But Winsor's History of Duxbury, published in 1849, states that Jonathan Peterson married Lydia the daughter of Rodolphus Thacher of Duxbury, and this appears to have been accepted without question hitherto. It was necessary, therefore, to determine whether Lydia Thacher married Jonathan Peterson or some one else — or died unmarried. The investigation was rendered more difficult by the various migrations of the Thacher family, but I was able to secure absolute proof that Lydia Thacher married, not Jonathan Peterson of Duxbury, but John Dean of Plainfield, Lebanon and Groton, Conn.

As already stated, Lydia Wadsworth was still unmarried on 23 April, 1700, and became Lydia Peterson before 4 December, 1723. Jonathan and Lydia Peterson had children born at

Lucanna Kent the Daughter of William Kent & mary his wife was Born Novm' 15: 1778.
Simeon Keen Jun' the Son of Simeon Keen & Cristiana his wife was born November the 3d 1788:
William Keen the Son of Simeon Keen & Christiana his wife was born March 31st 1793
Luce Keen the Daughter of Simeon Keen & Lydia his wife was Born November 18th 1752
Ruth Keen the Daughter of Simeon Keen & Lydia his wife was Born July 31: 1756.
Lydia Keen the Daughter of Simeon Keen & Lydia his wife was Born April 28: 1758
Simeon Keen the Son of Simeon Keen & Lydia his wife was Born November 26: 1761.
Stephen Keen the Son of Simeon Keen & Lydia his wife was Born June 24: 1766
Benjamin Keen the Son of Simeon Keen & Lydia his wife was Born march 29th 1769.
William Keen the Son of Simeon Keen & Lydia his wife was Born July 11th 1771

EBENEZER RICHMOND'S WILL

By the Editor

Ebenezer Richmond[1], son of John Richmond and his second wife, Abigail[2] Rogers (*John*[2], *Thomas*[1]), was born at Newport, R. I., 12 May, 1676, and married, about 1700 or 1701, Anna Sprout[3], daughter of Robert Sprout and Elizabeth[2] Samson (*Henry*[1]), of Scituate, Mass.

Ebenezer and Anna (Sprout) Richmond had six children, recorded at Middleborough, Mass.: Ebenezer, Robert, Anna, Rachel, Elizabeth, Silvester.

Ebenezer Richmond[2] made his will, 7 April, 1720, and an agreement of his heirs was dated 12 May, 1720, consequently he died between those two dates.

In the original will the wife's name was first written "hannah", but the initial letter was crossed out, apparently in the ink used in the rest of the word. Unfortunately, the wife's name was recorded as "Hannah" on the Plymouth County Probate Records; but there is conclusive evidence that her name was Anna.

Robert Sprout's daughter "Anna" was born in March, 1671/2, and in his will,* dated 23 November, 1712, "my daughter Mercy oldham" and "my daughter Anna Richmond" and "my daughter Hannah Cane" received legacies.

Thomas Oldham and Mercy Sprout were married, at Scituate, 27 June, 1683, and Ephraim Keen and Hannah Sprout were married, at Scituate, 1 April, 1703; but the marriage record of Ebenezer Richmond and Anna Sprout has not been found.

On 6 June, 1712, Robert Sprout, then of Middleborough, Mass., sold land in that town to "Mercy oldham y[e] wife of Thomas oldham & anna[1] Richmond The wife of Ebenezar Richmond & Hannah Keen the wife of Ephraim". [Plym. Co. Deeds, 10:2:28.]

* See Mayflower Descendant, VI: 8

† "Hannah" was first written, but the capital "H" and the final "h" were both crossed off

On 16 June, 1713, "Thomas Oldham & Mercy his Wife .... and Eph[m] Kean & Hannah his Wife .... & Eben[r] Richmond & anna his Wife" sold land which "did formerly Belong unto our Hon[d] Father Rob[t] Sprout Deceased". [Plym. Co. Deeds, 12:32.]

Other quotations from the original records could be given, but enough have been presented to show that Ebenezer Richmond married Anna Sprout, and that Hannah Sprout, her sister, married Ephraim Keen.

We here print exhaustive abstracts of Ebenezer Sprout's will and all other records, or documents on file, in the Plymouth County, Mass., Registry of Probate, relating to the settlement of the estate.

This article has been prepared at the expense of two members of the Massachusetts Society of Mayflower Descendants: Miss Elizabeth Cowing and Miss Janet McKay Cowing, of Seneca Falls, N. Y., descendants of Ebenezer and Anna (Sprout) Richmond, through their daughter Anna Richmond, who married Caleb Cowing, of Rochester, Mass., on 3 May, 1734.

KEENE, KEIN, KEEN.

Martha Keene, aged 60 years, was a passenger, 1638, in the good ship Confidence, of London, John Johnson, master, to New England. She was accompanied by John Keene, aged 17; Eliza, Martha, Josias, and Sarah Keene, probably her children.

Josias settled near Thomas Deggett, in Marshfield; m. Hannah, dau. of John Dingley, sen. They had, John, b. 1661; Josiah, Matthew, Hannah, and perhaps others. Hannah m. Isaac Oldham, 1695.

Josias Keene and his wife Lydia had nine children baptised in the First Church, Marshfield, by Mr. Gardner, 21 Oct., 1701.

ANCIENT LANDMARKS OF PEMBROKE

SQUIRE KEEN MANSION AND OLDHAM FARMS

John Oldham followed in his father's footsteps, and was a selectman of Pembroke 1866-1869. For many years he ran the grist mill close by the Garrison: and for the rest, cultivated his farm. He died 6 July 1871, aged sixty-two years; his widow, in 1897. The daughters of Mr. Oldham occupy his fine old homestead, and them I have to thank for a great deal of interesting and valuable information about the place.

Far and—I suppose—by this time almost forgotten, are Josiah Keen the Conspirator and his traffickings. To me, he has of late been a figure very often present; since at his ancient secretary, according to tradition, most of the work upon those *Landmarks* was done. It was purchased from Capt. Turner by Peter Salmond, and thus descended to my mother. Still on its summit flames the torch of sandalwood, and on the lid an ostrich grasps a writhing serpent in his beak, and in the arch above the bookshelves that angel Gabriel winds his trumpet whom Squire Josiah so resolutely defied. Let us pray the Angel make light of his rough-house; writing large his better character, and the high service which he did the Town.

PLYMOUTH, MASS., VITAL RECORDS

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[p. 115] 1756 In order for Marriages.
July 17 A Purpose of Marriage Between Thomas Robinson, and Ruth Hatch Both of Plymouth
31 A Purpose of Marriage Between Snow Keen of Pembrook And Rebeckah Burbanks of Plymouth Spoke for P[r] Joseph Trask
Aug[t] 13 A Purpose of Marriage Between Peleg Faunce, & Mary Faunce Both of Plymouth, Spoke for P[r] Nath[ll] Holmes
14 A Purpose of Marriage, Between M[r] Lazarus Le-Barron Jun[r]; and m[rs] Mary Lothrop, both of Plymouth
21 A Purpose of Marriage, Between Samuel Soule of Duxboro, & Mehetabel White of Plymouth
28 A Purpose of Marriage, Between, M[r] William Watson of Plymouth; & m[rs] Elizabeth Maston of Salem
Oct[r] 2 A Purpose of Marriage Between Josiah Waterman And Fear Tinkcom Both of Plymouth
2 A Purpose of Marriage Between M[r] John Wethrell, and M[rs] Sarah Crandon Both of Plymouth,
2 A Purpose of Marriage, Between Isaac Churchell of Boston, and Sarah Cobb of Plymouth
Nov[r] 6 A Purpose of Marriage Between Ebenezer Fuller of Plymouth And Lowis Rider of Middleborough
6 A Purpose of Marriage Between John Mackeel, And Susannah Samson, Both of Plymouth
11 A Purpose of Marriage Between Lemuell Swift of Plymouth, and Rebecca Whitfield of Rochester
27 A Purpose of Marriage Between, Eleazer Rogers, and Bethiah Savery, Both of Plymouth
A Porpose of Marriage, Between Branch Blackmer, And Sarah Waite Both of Plymouth
A Purpose of Marriage, Between Ebenezer Rider, And Sarah Rider Both of Plymouth
A Purpose of Marriage Between, Obediah Osborn, of Rhode Island, And Jerusha Kempton of Plymouth
Dec[r] 11 A Purpose of Marriage Between Levi Drew of Plym[o] And Mary Milk of Boston
18 A Purpose of Marriage Between John French of Hampton, In the Government of Newhampshear, and Rhoda Peck of Plymouth
1757 Jan[y] 11 A Purpose of Marriage Between John Humphrys (Late of Boston) Negro man now of Plymouth & Beck Wicket of Plym[o]
15 A purpose of Marriage, Between Ezra Stetson of Rochester, & Sarah Rider of Plymouth Spoke for by Ebenez[r] Cobb Jun[r]

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KEEN, ASA	CENTRE CEMETERY PEMBROKE, MASS. 50
KEEN, ISAAC	DINGLEY CEMETERY DUXBURY, MASS. 50
KEEN, ISAIAH	FERN HILL CEMETERY HANSON, MASS. 59
KEEN, JACOB	TOLMAN CEMETERY ROCKLAND, MASS. 55
KEEN, JOHN	QUAKER CEMETERY ROCHESTER, MASS 62
KEEN, JOHN	TURNER, MAINE 18
KEEN, JOHN jr	TURNER, MAINE 18
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KEENE, HENRY	GRACE PROTESTANT EPISCOPAL CHURCH CEMETERY, TAYLORS ISLAND, MD 53
KEENE, ISAIAH	FERN HILL CEMETERY, #14R, WEST PARISH, PEMBROKE, MASS. 40
KEENE, JOB	JAMESVILLE CEMETERY, JAMESVILLE, NY 58
KEENE, WILLIAM	OLD BREMEN CEMETERY, BREMEN, MAINE 30

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KEEN, EPHRAIM	PVT.	14 MASS.	DIED 11 MARCH 1778
KEEN, JOSIAH	PVT.	MASS.	DIED 10 SEPTEMBER 1778

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KEEN, SNOW (RS PVT. MASS) 1734-1811 m. Rebecca Burbank 1756 (b. 1736) dau. of Timothy Burbank and Mercy Kempton

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Benj[6] to be a Doctor." He also named his daughters Elizabeth Turner, wife of Amos Turner, Jr., and Mercy Stockbridge. Son Benjamin was to have the family homestead with the mills and all other real estate (Plymouth Co. Probate No. 19469). Benjamin was buried in the First Parish Cemetery at Scituate Harbor, on Meeting House Lane.

Mercy Stockbridge of Scituate, widow, in her will of 20 January, proved 7 February 1743/4, named her son Benjamin and his children Ruth, Charles, Mercy, Elizabeth, and Benjamin; daughter Elizabeth Keene; granddaughters Priscilla Peaks, Jane Turner, and Ann Turner; grandsons Amos Turner and William Keene; and daughter Mercy, wife of Benjamin James, the latter of whom was appointed administrator of the estate on 8 October 1744 (*ibid.*, No. 19498).

Children, born in Scituate (*Scituate VRs*, 1:336-338):

i. ELIZABETH[4], b. 19 Aug. 1702; living in Bridgewater, Mass., 17 Apr. 1753 when she and her husband acknowledged a deed of land there to David Leach of Bridgewater (Ply. Co. Deeds, 44:49); m. (1) in Scituate, 29 Jan. 1721/2, AMOS[4] TURNER, JR., b. in Scituate, 16 Nov. 1695; d. possibly in Scituate, between 1730 and 1740, son of Amos, Sr.[3] (*John, Sr.*[2], *Humphrey*[1]) and Mary (Hilland) Turner; m. (2) in Hanover, 8 July 1740, SHADRACH[3] KEEN, b. in Pembroke, Mass., 1 May 1703; living in Bridgewater, 29 Mar. 1771, when he acknowledged a deed of land there to Joseph Latham, Jr., of Bridgewater (*ibid.*, 55:244), son of John[2] (*Josias*[1]) and Rebecca (Barker) Keen. Children (baptized in Scituate, surname *Turner*): 1. *Priscilla*, bp. 29 Dec. 1727; liv. in Scituate, 17 Sept. 1759; m. in Scituate, 15 Jan. 1740/1, William[4] Peaks, b. in Scituate, 8 Dec. 1719, son of Eleazer[3] (*William*[2-1]) and Rachel (Merritt) Peaks. 2. *Jane*, bp. 29 Dec. 1727; m. in Scituate, 1 Dec. 1746, John[6] Otis, b. in Scituate, 11 Apr. 1725, son of Ensign[5] (*Stephen*[4], *John*[3-2], *Richard*[1]) and Mary (Barker) Otis. 3. *Anna*, bp. 13 Apr. 1729; d. in East Bridgewater, 11 Oct. 1807; m. in East Bridgewater, 7 Oct. 1746, Joseph[4] Keith, Jr., b. in Bridgewater, 1 Sept. 1722, son of Joseph[3] (*Joseph*[2], *James*[1]) and Susannah (Field) Keith. 4. *Amos*, bp. 4 July 1731; d. in Medway, Mass., 1 Aug. 1780; m. 30 Oct. 1759, Hannah[5] Bass, b. in Dorchester, Mass., 2 May 1741, dau. of Joseph[4] (*Joseph*[3], *John*[2], *Samuel*[1]) and Elizabeth (Breck) Bass. (Surname *Keen*): 5. *William*, b. in Bristol, R. I., 22 Feb. 1741/2; d. in East Bridgewater, 7 Aug. 1747.

16. ii. BENJAMIN, b. 30 Aug. 1704.

iii. MERCY, b. 6 May 1707; d. in Scituate, 6 Jan. 1788; m. probably in Scituate, ca. 1735-6, BENJAMIN JAMES, b. in Scituate, 12 May 1711; d. in Scituate, 28 Nov. 1788, son of John (*John*) and Eunice (Stetson) James. Children (born in Scituate, surname *James*): 1. *Mercy*, b. 11 Sept. 1737. 2. *Benjamin*, b. 23

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3. On p. 228 - a reference - The daughter, Lydia Wood (4) was married to George Holmes as Plymouth, on 5 February 1718/19 by Rev. Ephraim Little and had two children, George Holmes (5) who married Lydia West (6) (BETHIAH KEEN) (5), Josiah (4), Abigail Little (3), Anna (2), Richard Warren (1) and Richard Holmes who apparently died before his father.

4. On p. 78 - a reference - August 21, 1744 then was married at Middleborough, Joshua Sprague and ELIZABETH KEEN both of Abington in the County of Plymouth.

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1. Will of John Rooles of Turfile, yeoman, 13 December 1586. To be buried in Turfile - daughter Joanne Keene and son William Keene (Arch. Bucks Orig. Wills Bundle 1587).

2. General Henry Sewell, mentioned in the will of William Harman of Moore Hall in the parish of Sutton Canfield, County of Warwick, married Margaret Graybrook, daughter of Margaret (Keene) Graybrook in 1592.

3. Sir William Penn's will of January 1669 mentions a cousin, Eleanor Keene, bequeathing 6 POUNDS for life.

4. Bridget Keene (als) Ludlow mentioned in will of Frances Ludlow (1626).

5. In the will of Sibell Fryer of New Sarum, widow of John Fryer (innholder) 29 Dec 1635 proved 23 Feb 1635, there is mention of William Keene in an explanation after the will ..." There was a John Bennett in that part of Salem afterwards set off as Marblehead, who had a grant, in 1638, of four acres 'upon John Peaches Necke' William Keene and Nicholas Liston had grants of land on the same neck, which now goes by the name of Peach's Point, and is the summer home of Messrs. George W. Benson, Benjamin W. Crowninshield, and others." -- Henry Waters. p.514 Genealogical Gleanings of England

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Hatch Mill - 1752
Abrams Hill
Tea Rock Hill
King Caesar House 1800
Powder Point
First Parish Duxbury
Towne Hall
Partridge Academy
Duxbury Bay
High Pines
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Provincetown 17 Nautical Miles
Grave of Myles Standish
Bradford House 1674
Massachusetts Bay
Captain's Hill and Myles Standish monument
Site of Myles Standish house
Clarks Island
Pulpit Rock
Site of the first Pilgrim Sabbath
Saquish
Gurnet Light
Cripple Rocks
Joseph Holmes & Sons Shipbuilders
Jones River
Kingston Bay
First parish of Kingston
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Plimoth Plantation Village
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HEZEKIAH KEEN AND LONDON BRIDGE REFERENCE

MAYFLOWER DESCENDANT VOLUME 28:1 REFERENCE

(The following is in the words and writing of Hezekiah Keen with misspellings, etc.)

"Hezekiah Keen was Born in Duxbrough in August ye 6 Day 1702
"My Grandfather was Born in London on Lonon Bredg and he Came out of England with his father and mother & left in London two Brothers Behind them & my grat grandfather & grat grandmother came to Boston In New England and from thence to Hengham and from there to Meshfield and there my Grandfather Josiah Keen mared with Abigil Lettel who had my father Josiah Keen & one Dafter Who Died young and my granmother Dyed allso & left only my father Josiah Keen who mared with Ledia Baker and theay had Eleven children whos Nams was Benjamin & Josiah who Died young & Abigil Elener & Josiah Nathaniel Bethia Samuel Isaac and myself who is Hezekiah who was Born 1702"

The term born on London Bridge intrigued me, along with any other relative that saw the reference. I researched this piece of lore and the English history books state that the bridge in c. 1620 was inhabited by innkeepers, open markets, tenants of rooms in the buildings that spanned the entire length of the bridge. The bridge was later destroyed in the late 1600's and rebuilt. However, the English history states that England was going through a terrible plague during the 1620-1650 years. The buildings on the bridge eventually became what we call tenements and many average people actually lived on the bridge. So, it is quite probable that John and Martha Keene did live on the bridge, had their children and economics, the plague, or both caused them to come to the "New World." There is little known about the original John and Martha Keene who came to Boston in 1638. John Keene is not listed on the passenger manifest, so it is possible that he was already here and sent for his family.

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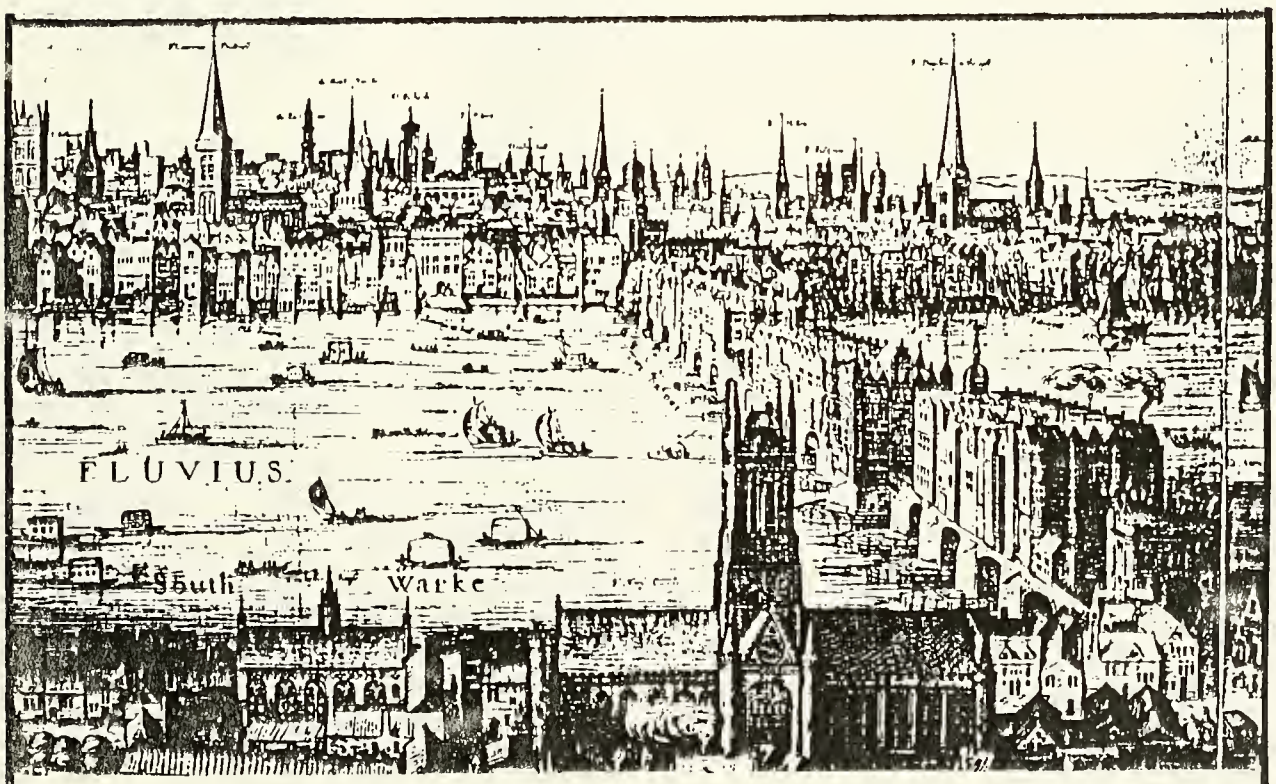

3. London Bridge and the City sky-line beyond, *c.* 1620.

NOTE: JOHN JOBSON, MASTER - LISTED AS GIBSON ON OTHER LIST

PASSENGERS TO AMERICA
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PASSENGERS FOR NEW ENGLAND, 1638.

[The following list of early emigrants or passengers was obtained for the New England Historic Genealogical Society, by Henry Stevens, Esq., one of its members, lately resident in London.]

Southampton, 24th Aprill, 1638

The List of the names of the Passengers Intended for New-England, In the good shipp, the Confidence of London, of 200 tonnes, John Jobson M^r^ —— and thus by vertue of Lord Treasurers warrant of the 11th of Aprill, 1638.

Names.	Residence	Occupation.	Ages
Walter Hayne,	Sutton, Mandifield, Co. of Wilts.,	Lennen Weaver,	55
Eliza, his wife,			
Thomas Hayne, John Hayne, Josias Hayne,	their sonnes, under 16 years of age.		
Saffrane, Mary,	their daughters.		
John Blanford, John Riddet, Rich: Bildcombe,	their servants,		27 26 16
Peter Noyce,	Penton, Co. of South^n^	Yeoman,	47
Thomas Noyce, his sonne,			15
Elizabeth Noyce, his daughter.			
Robert Davis, John Rutter, Margaret Davis,	his servants,		30 22 26
Nicholas Guy,	Upton Gray, Co. of Southampton,	Carpenter,	50
Jane, his wife,			30
Mary Guy, his daughter,			
Joseph Taynter, Robert Bayley,	servants,		25 23
John Bent,	Penton, Co. of Southampton,	Husbandman,	35
Martha, his wife,			
Robert Bent, William Bent, Peter Bent, John Bent, Ann,	his children, under 12 yeares of age		
Roger Porter,	Long Sutton, Co. Southampton,	Husbandman,	55
Joane Porter, Susan Porter, Mary Porter, Rose Porter,	his daughters,		
John Sanders,	Lanford, Co. Wilts.,	Husbd^m^	25
Sara, his wife,			
John Cole,			40

Names.	Residence.	Occupation.	Ages.
Roger Easman, Richard Blake, William Cottle, Robert King,	servants,		15 16 12 21
John Roaff,	Melchitt Parke, Wiltsheir,	Husbd^m^	50
Ann, his wife,			
John Roaff, Thomas Roaff,	their sons, 4 years & under,		
Richard Sangar, his servant,			18
Thomas Goodeoowe,	Shasbury,		30
Jane, his wife,			
Thomas Goodenowe, his sonne,			1
Ursula, his sister,			
Edmund Kerley,	Ashmore,	Husband^m^	22
William Kerley,	Ashmore,	"	
Edmund Morres,	Reniton Magna, Co. Dorset,	Carpenter,	
Stephan Kent,	England,		17
Margery, his wife,			16
George Churche,			16
Hugh Marche,	servants,		20
Anthony Sadler,			9
Nicholas Wallington, a poore Boy,			
Rebecca Keot, servant,			16
John Stephent,	Gowsham, Co. Oxon,	Husband^m^	31
William Stephens,	"	"	21
Eliza, his wife,			
Alice, his mother,			
John Lowgie, Grace Lowgie,	servants,		16
Thomas Jones,	Gowsham,	Tayler,	36
Ann, his wife, &			
Four children under 10 years,			
William Baunche, Jude Denley,	servants,		24
Martha Wilder,	Shiplocke, Oxfordshire,	Spinster,	
Mary Wilder, her daughter,			
Augustin Bearce,			20
John Keene,			17
Martha Keene,			60
Eliza Keene,			
Martha Keene,			
Josias Keene,			
Sarah Keene,			
John Binson,	Gowsham, Oxfordshire,	Husbandmn,	30
Mary, his wife,			
John Binson, Mary Binson,	their children, under 4 years,		
William Ilsbey,		Shoemaker,	26
John Ilsbey,		"	

NOTE: JOHN JOBSON, MASTER

24 April. List of passengers from Southampton for New England by the *Confidence* of London, Mr. John Jobson.

Walter Hayne of Sutton Mandeville, Wilts, linen weaver 55, and Elizabeth his wife, their sons Thomas, John and Josias under 16 and daughters Suffrance and Mary 5, and servants John Blanford 27, John Riddet 26, and Richard Bidleombe 16; Peter Noyce of Penton, Hants, yeoman 47, son Thomas 15, daughter Elizabeth and servants Robert Davis 30, John Rutter 22, and Margarett Davis 26; Nicholas Guy of Upton Grey, Hants, carpenter 50, his wife Jane 30, daughter Mary, and servants Joseph Taynter 25 and Robert Bayley 23; John Bent of Penton, Hants, husbandman 35, Martha his wife, and children Robert, William, Peter, John and Ann under 12; Roger Porter of Long Sutton, Hants, husbandman 55, and daughters Joane, Susan, Mary and Rose; John Sanders of Landford, Wilts, husbandman 25, his wife Sara, John Cole 40, and servants Roger Easman 25, Richard Blake 16, William Cottle 12 and Robert King 24; John Roaffe of Melchet Park, Wilts, husbandman 50, his wife Ann, their daughter Hester and their servant Thomas Whittle; John Goodenowe of Semley, Wilts, husbandman 42, Jane his wife, and their daughters Lydia and Jane; Edmond Goodenowe of Donhead, Wilts, husbandman 27, Ann his wife, their sons John and Thomas under 4, and servant Richard Sangar; Thomas Goodenow of Shasbury [Shafteshury, Dorset] 30, Jane his wife, Thomas his son 1 and Ursula his sister; Edmund and William Kerley of Ashmore, [Dorset], husbandmen 22, and Edmund Morres of Kington Magna, Dorset, carpenter; Stephan Kent of England [sic] 17, Margery his wife 16, and servants George Church 16, Hugh Marshe 20, Anthoney Sadler 9, Nicholas Wallington, a poor boy, and Rebecca Kent 16; John Stephens of Governsham [?Caversham], Oxon, husbandman 31, William Stephens of Governsham, husbandman 21 and Elizabeth his wife, Alice Stephens his mother, and servants John Lowgee 16 and Grace Lowgee; Thomas Jones of Governsham, tailor 36, Ann his wife, their 4 [unnamed] children uder 10, and servants William Baunche 24 and Jude Denley; Martha Wilde of Shiplake, Oxon, spinster, and Mary her daughter, Augustin Bearce 20, John Keene 17, Martha Keene 60, and Elizabeth, Martha, Josias and Sara Keene; John Binson of Coversham [Caversham], Oxon, husbandman 30, Mary his wife, and their children John and Mary under 4; William Ilsbey 26 and John Ilsby 20, shoemakers, and Barbara his [sic] wife, and servant Phillip Davis 12; Joseph Parker of Newbury, [Berks], tanner 24; Sara Osgood of Horrell, spinster, and 4 children [unnamed], William Osgood and William Jones, children under 11, and servant Margery Parke; John Ludwell 50, and servants Henry Haggert 40 and David Whealer 11; Richard Bidgood of Romsey, [Hants], merchant. (*PRO:COI/9/99*).

LONDON BRIDGE AND THE KEEN(E) FAMILY

It is reported in many genealogical publications that John and Martha Keen(e) came to America on the ship CONFIDENCE which sailed from Southampton, England on April 11, 1638 and landed in Boston. The ship's log does not list the senior John Keen, but lists Martha 60, Elizabeth 13, Martha, Josias, John 17, and Sarah. Hezekiah Keen's family account (private records now in possession of Mayflower Society) refers to his grandfather (Josias – Josiah) being "Born in London on Lonon Bredg." (See Hezekiah's Account).

I was confused (at first) when I saw that the children were born on London Bridge. All those that read that particular piece of information was skeptical of its validity. I learn the following after some research on the London Bridge's history.

A sketch of the St Thomas à Becket Chapel which stood on London Bridge, after its conversion into a dwelling-house and warehouse.

Nonsuch House on London Bridge, seen from the south-west. The blocks of wood from which it was constructed were imported piecemeal from Holland.

Nonsuch House from the west, showing the racing currents between the starlings.

The original London Bridge (c.1100 A.D.) was made of timber and constantly had to be repaired. The first stone bridge was built and completed about the year 1208 under the direction of Peter Colechurch, a priest / architect. One of the first buildings erected on the bridge was a large chapel (St. Thomas à Becket) and was later converted to a dwelling house and warehouse. The original buildings were great and grand and housed (usually) the upper class of Londoners. Nonsuch House, "a fantastic building" eventually, as was many others, converted to a tenement. As the centuries progressed, the bridge eventually became a series of large buildings, under a state of constant decay, being destroyed and replaced over the years. A watchtower was in the center of the bridge where the severed heads of "traitors" were impaled on poles for all to see. The watchtower was removed in 1577 and resited at the Southwark end of the bridge.

The bridge suffered many tragedies -- fire in 1212 -- and the bridge stood in ruins for many years before being restored. Another disaster in 1437 collapsed one end of the bridge. There were two devestating fires in 1633 and 1666.

The bridge had many shoppes and about the time John Keen and family were there, the buildings housed many residents in tenement (one room apartments) throughout the bridge.

Some occupations of the bridge dwellers in the 16th and 17th centuries was makers of needles and pins, hosiers, haberdashers of hats, shoemaker, glovers, girdler, distillers of strong waters, grocers, innkeepers, scriveners, a curate of the church with his clerk. A most common occupation was publishing and book selling. Many artists took up permanent dwelling on the bridge.

We'll never really know, but on speculating, it is possible that John and Martha had been through the devestating fire of 1633 and the plagues of 1603 and 1625 where more than 68,000 Londoners had perished. Maybe the lure of a new life in the "New World" was too much and he came to America first to investigate and then sent for his wife and children. Records indicate that Martha Keen(e) died in 1638. It is possible that she died on the ship.

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RICHARD WARREN

MAYFLOWER PASSENGER
SETTLED IN PLYMOUTH, MASSACHUSETTS 1620

RICHARD WARREN came from London and was called a "merchant" of that city (*Mourt*). Extensive research in every available source of information -- registers, chancery and probate in the London courts, proved fruitless in an attempt to identify him. As he died before 1628, it is probable that he was considerably past middle life at the date of emigration.

A careful analysis of the reading of Bradford's statement about Richard Warren in the section devoted to "Decreasings and Increasings" justifies the compiler's belief that Mrs. Elizabeth Warren, who came over on the *Anne* in 1623, was his second wife. After stating that "his wife came over to him" he adds the significant statement "by whom he had two sons before (he) dyed." After stating the "increase" he adds: "but he had five daughters more come over with his wife" which can only be accurately read as his children and not hers. His separation of the sons, who were the specific issue of the wife Elizabeth, from the daughters who came over with the wife completes the picture of family relationships. As she survived him for nearly half a century, dying in 1673, it is almost conclusive confirmation of this theory. An estimation of probable dates of birth of the five daughters, based on the known facts, gives the following result: Mary, born 1606; Elizabeth, 1608; Anne, 1612; Sarah, 1614, and Abigail, 1616.

Richard Warren, a London haberdasher, was licensed to marry Elizabeth Evans of St. Mildred Poultry, 1 January, 1592/3, at St. Leonard's Shoreditch, and a Richard Warren married Marjorie Jordan , 1 September, 1606, at St. Martin's in the Field. Either one of these might be the *Mayflower* Pilgrim.

St. Leonard Shoreditch parish adjoins that of St. Botolph without Aldgate and St. Mary whitechapel, from both of which came Pilgrims, and Nicholas Snow has been identified as of St. Leonard's (*q v.*). It is in the heart of the Pilgrim area in London. The records of the Honorable Artillery Company of London, 1612, contain the admission of a Richard Warren as a member that year but no further information is available as to his identity.

Source: The English Ancestry and Homes of the Pilgrim Fathers

KEEN / WARREN CONNECTION

The Mayflower connection of the Keen family was first discovered in the Hezekiah Keen account which is in this book. The Mayflower Descendant (MD) has accepted his account as valid and the Mayflower Descendants Society possess his book. In the MD 1905-1906, v. 7-8 p. 191-192 looks at this information for the first time. However, the MD 1930 v.28:1 has Hezekiah Keen's entire account printed and formally accepted as fact.

The first Josiah Keen in America married Abigail Little, and they had the first Keen born in America, Josiah, Jr. Abigail was the daughter of Thomas Little and Ann Warren (daughter of Mayflower passenger Richard Warren). Josiah Keen, Jr. is our direct descendant.

Source: Plymouth Colony - its history and its people p.318 auth: Eugene A. Stratton
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RICHARD WARREN

Richard Warren, b. pre 1590, prob. London, Eng. (1), d. 1628, Plymouth (2); m. pre 1610/11, London, Elizabeth ( ) (3); b. c1580, prob. Eng. (4), d. 2 Oct. 1673, Plymouth (5).

Seven Children:

I MARY, b. c1610, Eng. (6), d. 27 Mar. 1683, Plymouth (7); m. c1628/29, Plymouth, Robert Bartlett (8); b. c1603, prob. Eng. (9), d. bets. 19 Sept. - 29 Oct. 1676, Plymouth (10).

Eight Children:

1. Benjamin, b. pre 6 June 1633, Plymouth (10), d. bets. 21-28 Aug. 1691, Duxbury (11); m.1st pre 4 Apr. 1654, prob. Plymouth, Susanna Jenny (12); b. aft. 22 May 1627, Plymouth (13), d. pre 4 Apr. 1654, Plymouth (14); m.2nd aft. 4 Apr. 1654, Duxbury, Sarah Brewster (15); b. c1635, Plymouth, d. bets. 5 Mar. 1668 - 21 Jan. 1678/79, prob. Duxbury (16); m.3rd pre 21 Jan. 1678, Cecillia ( ) (17); living 1 Sept. 1691 (18).
2. Rebecca, b. pre Dec. 1634, Plymouth, d. bets. 2 June 1657 - 15 July 1658 (19); m. 20 Dec. 1649, Plymouth, William Harlow (20); b. c1624 (21), d. 25 Aug. 1691, Plymouth (22).
3. Mary, b. c1634, Plymouth, d. 26 Sept. 1692, Plymouth (23); m.1st 10 Sept. 1651, Plymouth, Richard Foster (24); d. bets. 2 Feb. 1657/58 - 27 June 1659, Plymouth (23); m.2nd 8 July 1659, Plymouth, Jonathan Morey (26); b. c1633, bpt. 1637, Salem (27), d. 19 May 1708, Plymouth (28).
4. Sarah, d. pre 14 June 1680, Plymouth (29); m. 23 Dec. 1656, Plymouth, Samuel Eider (30); b. c1630 (31), d. 18 July 1715, Plymouth (32).
5. Joseph, b. c1639, Plymouth (33), d. 18 Feb. 1711/12, Plymouth (34); m. c1662, Plymouth, Hannah Pope (33); b. c1639, Plymouth (36), d. 12 Mar. 1709/10, Plymouth (37).
6. Elizabeth, b. c1643, Plymouth, d. 17 Feb. 1712/13, Bingham (38); m. 26 Dec. 1661, Plymouth, Anthony Sprague (39); bpt. 23 May 1636, Charlestown (40), d. 3 Sept. 1719, Bingham (41).
7. Lydia, b. 8 June 1648, Plymouth (42), d. 11 Sept. 1691, Plymouth (43); m.1st pre 14 June 1670, James Barnaby (44); m. pre 30 Oct. 1677 (45); m.2nd aft. 30 Oct. 1677, prob. Plymouth, John Nelson (46); b. c1643/44 (47), d. 29 Apr. 1697, Plymouth (48).
8. Mercy, b. 10 Mar. 1650/51, Plymouth (49); m. 25 Dec. 1668, Plymouth, John Ivey (50).

II ANNA, b. c1612, prob. Eng. (51), d. aft. 19 Feb. 1675/76, Marshfield (52); m. 19 Apr. 1633, Plymouth, Thomas Little (53); bor. 12 Mar. 1671/72, Marshfield (54).

Nine Children:

9. Abigail, b. c1635, Plymouth, d. pre 1660, Marshfield (55); m. c1654/58, Marshfield, Josiah Keene (55); b. London, Eng., d. bets. 28 May 1695 - 15 Sept. 1710, prob. Duxbury (56).
10. Ruth, d. aft. 19 Feb. 1675/76, prob. unm. (57).
11. Hannah, b. c1636/37, Plymouth, d. 13 May 1710, Scituate (58); m. 15 Jan. 1661/62, Scituate, Stephen Tilden (59); bpt. 11 Oct. 1629, Tenterden, Kent co., Eng. (60), d. 22 Aug. 1711, Scituate (61).
12. Patience, b. c1639, Plymouth, d. 25 Oct. 1725, Bingham (61); m. 11 Nov. 1657, Weymouth, Joseph Jones (62); d. 18 July 1714, Bingham (61).
13. Mercy, b. c1645, Plymouth, bur. 10 Feb. 1693, Marshfield (63); m. 30 Nov. 1666, Marshfield, John Sawyer (64); d. aft. 28 Apr. 1711 (65).
14. Isaac, b. c1646, Plymouth (66), d. 24 Nov. 1699, Marshfield (67); m. c1673, prob. Marshfield, Bathiah Thomas (68); d. 23 Sept. 1718, prob. Pembroke (69).
15. Ephraim, b. 17 May 1650, Plymouth (70), d. 24 Nov. 1717, Scituate (71); m. 22 Nov. 1672, Scituate, Mary Stockbridge (72); b. 7 Dec. 1651, Plymouth (73), d. 10 Feb. 1717/18, Scituate (74).
16. Thomas, b. pre 19 Feb. 1654/55, Marshfield (75), d. 26 Mar. 1676, Nahoboth (76).
17. Samuel, b. c1656, Marshfield, d. 16 Jan. 1707, Bristol (77) m. 18 May 1682, Marshfield, Sarah Gray (78); b. 12 Aug. 1659, Plymouth (79), d. 14 Feb. 1736/37, Bristol (80).

III SARAH, b. c1614, prob. Eng., d. aft. 15 July 1696 (81); m. 28 Mar. 1634, Plymouth, John Cooke (82); bpt. bets. 1 Jan. - 31 Mar. 1607, Leyden, Holland (83), d. 23 Nov. 1695, Dartmouth (84).

Five Children: See John Cooke pg. 43

IV ELIZABETH, b. c1616, prob. Eng., d. 9 Mar. 1669/70, Bingham (85); m. pre 14 Mar. 1635/36, Plymouth, Richard Church (86); b. c1608, Eng. (87), d. 27 Dec. 1668, Dedham (bur. Bingham) (88).

Ten Children:

18. Elizabeth, b. c1636, Plymouth, d. 3 Feb. 1658/59, Bingham (89); m. 8 Jan. 1657/58, Bingham, Caleb Hobart (89); b. c1623, d. 4 Sept. 1711, Braintree (90).
19. Joseph, b. 1638, Plymouth (91), d. 5 Mar. 1710/11, Little Compton (92); m. 13 Dec. 1660, Bingham, Mary Tucker (93); bpt. 8 Oct. 1640, Bingham (94), 21 Mar. 1710, Little Compton (95).
20. Benjamin, b. c1639, Plymouth (96), d. 17 Jan. 1717/18, Little Compton (97); m. 26 Dec. 1667, poss. Duxbury, Alice Southworth (98); b. c1646, Duxbury, d. 5 Mar. 1718/19, Little Compton (99).
21. Nathaniel, b. c1642, Plymouth, d. pre 29 Oct. 1689, Scituate (100); m. c1665, Sarah Barstow (101); d. aft. 4 Nov. 1717 (100).
22. Charles, b. c1644, Plymouth, d. 30 Oct. 1659, Bingham (102).
23. Caleb, b. c1646, Plymouth, d. pre 26 June 1722, Watertown (103); m.1st 16 Dec. 1667, Bingham, Joanna Sprague (104); bpt. Dec. 1645, Bingham (105), d. 11 July 1678, Watertown (106); m.2nd pre 8 June 1680, Deborah (107); d. 17 Jan. 1690, Watertown (108); m.3rd 6 Nov. 1691, Watertown, Rebecca ( ) Scottow (109); d. aft. 30 Mar. 1715 (107).
24. Abigail, b. 22 June 1648, Plymouth (110), d. 25 Dec. 1667, Bingham (111); m. 19 Dec. 1666, Bingham, Samuel Thaxter (111); b. 19 May 1641, Hingham (112), d. 27 May 1725, Bingham (113).
25. Sarah, b. prob. early 1650's, d. bets. 29 Sept. 1688 - 1693, Bristol (113); m. 8 Dec. 1674, Bingham, James Parrouche (114); b. c1650, d. aft. 10 Oct. 1699, prob. Bristol (113).
26. Mary, d. 30 Apr. 1662, Duxbury (114).
27. Deborah, b. 27 Jan. 1656/57, Bingham (115), d. aft. 30 June 1688 (116); poss. m. Nylranus White (115); b. pre 1667, Marshfield, d. pre 29 June 1688, Scituate (115).

V ABIGAIL, b. c1618, prob. Eng., d. aft. 3 Jan. 1692/93, Marshfield (117); m. 9 Nov. 1639, Plymouth, Anthony Snow (118), d. Aug. 1692, Marshfield (119).

Six Children:

28. Lydia, b. c1640, Plymouth, d. 17 Mar. 1711, Sandwich (120); m. c1663, Stephen Skiff (121); b. 14 Apr. 1641, Sandwich (122), d. 8 June 1710, Sandwich (123).
29. Judah, d. Aug. 1692, Marshfield (124); m. c1669, prob. Marshfield, Rebecca Barker (125); d. 28 Apr. 1711, Marshfield (126).
30. Abigail, b. c1650, bur. 26 June 1682, Marshfield (127); m. 12 Dec. 1667, Marshfield, Michael Ford (128); d. 27 Mar. 1729, Marshfield (129).
31. Sarah, b. cJune 1651 (130), d. 11 Sept. 1741, Marshfield (131); m. c1673, prob. Marshfield, Joseph Waterman (132); b. c1649, Marshfield (133), d. 3 Jan. 1710/11, Marshfield (134).
32. Son, b. 25 Mar. 1655, Marshfield, d.y. (135).
33. Alice, b. 18 Jan. 1657, Marshfield (136), d. aft. 5 Sept. 1697, prob. Duxbury (137); m. pre Dec. 1681, Robert Barker (138); b. c1651 (139), d. 25 Sept. 1729, Duxbury (138).

VI NATHANIEL, b. c1624/25, Plymouth (140), d. bets. 16 July - 21 Oct. 1667, Plymouth (141); m. 19 Nov. 1645, Plymouth, Sarah Walker (142); bpt. 10 Nov. 1622, Southwark, Eng. (143), d. 24 Nov. 1700, Plymouth (144).

34. Richard, b. 1646, Plymouth, d. 23 Jan. 1696/97, prob. Plymouth (145); m. c1678, Sarah Torrey (146); b. 9 Feb. 1660/61, Scituate (147), d. aft. 6 Nov. 1722 (146).
35. Sarah, b. 29 Aug. 1649, Plymouth (148), d. aft. 4 Mar. 1692/93 (149); m. c1673, John Blackwell (150); b. c1646,

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prob. Sandwich, d. pre 9 Jan. 1689/90 (151).

36. Hope, b. 6 or 7 Mar. 1650/51, Plymouth (152), d. pre 9 Jan. 1689/90 (153).
37. Jane, b. 30 Dec. 1652, Plymouth (154), d. 27 Feb. 1682/83, Barnstable (155); m. 19 Sept. 1672, Barnstable, Benjamin Lombard (156); b. 26 Aug. 1642, Barnstable (157), d. aft. 11 Feb. 1704/05 (158).
38. Elizabeth, b. 15 Sept. 1654, Plymouth (159), d. aft. 10 Jan. 1689/90 (160); m. c1683, William Green (161); d. 7 Oct. 1685, Plymouth (162).
39. Alice, b. 2 Aug. 1656, Plymouth (163), d. aft. 4 Mar. 1692 (164); m. 23 Dec. 1674, Sandwich, Thomas Gibbs (165); b. 23 Mar. 1646/47, Sandwich (166), d. 7 Jan. 1732/33, Sandwich (167).
40. Mercy, b. 20 Feb. 1657, Plymouth (168), d. aft. 6 Nov. 1727 (169); m. 28 Feb. 1677/78, Dartmouth, Jonathan Delano (170); b. 1647, Plymouth, d. 28 Dec. 1720, Dartmouth (171).
41. Mary, b. 9 Mar. 1660, Plymouth, (172), d. pre 9 Jan. 1689/90 (173).
42. Nathaniel, b. 10 Mar. 1661, Plymouth (174), d. 29 Oct. 1707, Plymouth (175); m. pre 24 Feb. 1693/94, Phebe Murdock (176); d. aft. 8 July 1723 (176).
43. John, b. 23 Oct. 1663, Plymouth (177), d. pre 9 Jan. 1689/90 (178).
44. James, b. 7 Nov. 1665, Plymouth (179), d. 30 May 1715, Plymouth (180); m. 21 June 1687, Plymouth, Sarah Doty (181); b. 9 June 1666, Plymouth (182), d. pre 16 Aug. 1749 (183).
45. Jabez, b. c1667, Plymouth, d. 19 Apr. 1701 (184).

VII JOSEPH, b. 1626/27, Plymouth (185), d. 4 May 1689, Plymouth (186); m. c1652, Plymouth, Priscilla Faunce (187); b. c1633/34, Plymouth, d. 15 May 1707, Plymouth (188).

Six Children:

46. Mercy, b. 23 Sept. 1655, Plymouth (189), d. Mar. 1747, Kingston (190); m. 6 Jan. 1674, Plymouth, John Bradford (191); b. 20 Feb. 1652/53, Plymouth (192), d. 8 Dec. 1736, Kingston (193).
47. Abigail, b. 15 Mar. 1655, Plymouth (194), d. pre 4 May 1689 (195).
48. Joseph, b. 8 Jan. 1657, Plymouth (196), d. 28 Dec. 1696, Plymouth (197); m. 20 Dec. 1692, Plymouth, Mehitabel Wilder (198); b. 1661, Bingham, d. aft. 21 June 1716 (199).
49. Patience, b. 15 Mar. 1660, Plymouth (200), d. aft. 9 Mar. 1719 (201); m. 16 Dec. 1686, Plymouth, Samuel Lucas (202); b. 15 Sept. 1661, Plymouth (203), d. 17 Jan. 1715/16, Plymouth (204).
50. Elizabeth, b. 15 Aug. 1662, Plymouth (205), d. betw. 9 Mar. 1719 - 2 Jan. 1723 (206); m. 19 Jan. 1687/88, Plymouth, Josiah Finney (207); b. 11 Jan. 1660, Barnstable (208), d. pre 2 Jan. 1726/27 (209).
51. Benjamin, b. 8 Jan. 1670, Plymouth (210), d. 30 May 1746, Plymouth (211); m.1st 22 Apr. 1697, Plymouth, Hannah Morton (212); b. 7 Nov. 1677, Plymouth (213), d. 3 Nov. 1715, Plymouth (214); m.2nd 25 Oct. 1716, Plymouth, Esther (Barnes) Cushman (215); b. 18 Feb. 1682, Plymouth (216), d. 1 Nov. 1770, Plymouth (217).

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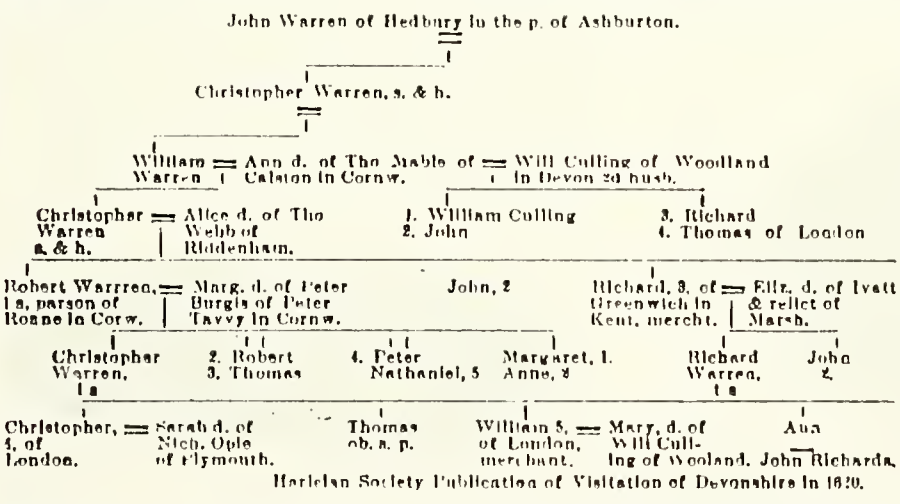
RICHARD WARREN, Twelfth Signer.

Stern facts must be accepted in writing history, and, willing or otherwise, the records prove that Richard Warren, the Pilgrim, cannot be placed in any certainty with regard to his family relations before his advent in the colonies, as one of the Mayflower Pilgrims.

Certain it is that he came on this ship, and was followed later on in the Ann by his wife, Elizabeth, and his daughters. The confusion in regard to him arises from the fact that there was another Warren, who was early in the colonies, and who had the honor of being a son of Christopher Warren, and the pleasure of having Elizabeth Jouatt, or Ivatt, widow of —— Marsh, for his wife. There the story, as told us of the Pilgrim, ends, their children being two sons, Richard and John, as the chart accompanying this article shows.

Yet, for all practical purposes, our Pilgrim, arguing from the family names there represented, must have his place as kin somewhere in the records.



Harleian Society Publication of Visitation of Devonshire in 1620.

Richard and Joseph repeat themselves in both families; then, too, there are Nathaniels.

Still, I can take, "grave Richard Warren" from his start with us, and give him hearty thanks for his descent, even if the ascent still remains unknown.

Of him, personally, there is, and to say, an unfinished record to place in evidence. Escaping the first sickness, living to greet his wife and daughters, it seems a hard fate to relate that he only lived to 1628, and "it was not until after seven years of re-labor that any of the men who joined in that pioneer Thanksgiving festival in 1621 had been laid in his grave."

He had taken the initial step, proved himself worthy of the position he had achieved in the short time allowed him, all bearing testimony to his value, not needing to wait until he had passed the Rubicon, and in his silent grave closed the living animosities. They described him as "a man of integrity, justice and uprightness, of piety and serious religion."

SIGNER.

Richard Warren, the twelfth Signer of the Compact, with the honorable prefix of Mr., to which he always seemed fully entitled, is mentioned by Bradford "as a most useful man during the short time he lived, bearing a deep share in the difficulties and troubles of the plantation."

For some unknown cause, through all the accounts of this banding together of the Mayflower passengers for their better government, and personal responsibility of good behavior, the place occupied by each one in the compact seems to be considered a matter of precedence of position. If so, what an argument for John Alden and John Howland and the men "called servants."

And how strange, as you read the list, is the peculiarity of physical strength at the beginning, the early death rate being mainly from the numbers as they increase.

Richard Warren was a true Pilgrim spirit, whether of the Leyden Church or one of the converts along the Scrooby Post road, too weak of purpose to join the movement at its inception, but who grew in strength with time and conviction, until the move for bleak New England found him more than ready, waiting to record himself as of the little band.*

*Why should he not have been the Richard Warren recorded as Sheriff of Coventry, 16107 Having five daughters to come out with their mother in the Ann, fits into the necessary maturity.

Five daughters and two sons owed filial allegiance to Richard and Elizabeth Warren.

The girls, who came with their mother in the Ann, married active men in the colonies, Mary becoming the wife of Robert Bartlett; Ann, of Thomas Little; Sarah, Joseph Cooke; Elizabeth, Richard Church. October 4, 1632, a carpenter, born in 1608, a sergeant in the Pequod war, and, best of all, they were the parents of Col. Benjamin Church, the distinguished hero of the Indian wars.

Then Abigail, to complete the list, married Anthony Snow, one of the prominent men of Marshfield.

Nathaniel and Joseph, the sons, were born in Plymouth, the first marrying Mary Walker, and Joseph, Priscilla Faunce. Both the names and marriages of this family have been greatly to their credit.

Their Norman blood flows through the veins of the patriots, the pleaders, the successful merchants of this country.

The descendants of the Pilgrim Richard Warren have largely inhabited Plymouth and the eastern part of Massachusetts, although the State of New York also puts in a claim.

BOTH BRANCHES.

The two branches of Warren unite very naturally in the fact that the Pilgrim descendant Gen. James Warren, the revolutionary officer and president of the Provincial Congress of Massachusetts, succeeded Gen. Joseph Warren, of Bunker Hill fame, a member of the other family, in office. The following record shows how naturally the mixing of the lineage occurred, and though, by reference to the chart, we can see that it was not the Mayflower Pilgrim, there are so many points in common with the record handed down to us that all would be unwilling to change their opinion without the strong substantiation of authenticated history:

Richard Warren——Elizabeth, daughter of Greenwich, Co. of —— Jouatt, and Kent, merchant, one widow of —— Marsh, of the first settlers of She died at Plymouth Plymouth, N. E. He in 1673, aged 90. died in 1628.

The Warrens lead straight to the Mayflower, though the repetition of names in the two families makes the title a very puzzling one, but there need be no doubt of the claim if presented by those bearing the names of Otis, Winslow, Walker, Doty, Bradford and many others scattered the whole world over.

Again the matter must be left to the Society of Mayflower Descendants. Their good work is progressing, fed by the knowledge gained from each seeker for enrolment on the list of members. See notes.

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Signing of the Mayflower Compact, 21 November, 1620

1897

Richard Warren — Mayflower Ancestor

This certifies that Robert Roger Keen is a member of the General Society of Mayflower Descendants founded 12 January, 1897, to perpetuate the memory of the Pilgrims, to maintain and defend the principles of civil and religious liberty, to cherish and maintain the ideals and institutions of American Freedom and to oppose any theories or actions that threaten their continuity.

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Of the 104 passengers of the Mayflower, many died that first winter in Plymouth Colony. Listed are passengers from whom descent has been proven.

JOHN ALDEN
ISAAC ALLERTON
JOHN BILLINGTON
WILLIAM BRADFORD
WILLIAM BREWSTER
PETER BROWN
JAMES CHILTON
FRANCIS COOK
EDWARD DOTY
FRANCIS EATON
EDWARD FULLER
DR. SAMUEL FULLER
STEPHEN HOPKINS
JOHN HOWLAND
RICHARD MORE
DEGROY PRIEST
THOMAS ROGERS
HENRY SAMSON
GEORGE SOULE
MYLES STANDISH
RICHARD WARREN
WILLIAM WHITE
EDWARD WINSLOW

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THE WILLS OF JOSIAH KEEN, SR., OF DUXBURY AND HIS SON JOSIAH, OF PEMBROKE

By the Editor

Josiah Keen, Sr., of Marshfield and Duxbury, Mass., married, first, Abigail Little[6], daughter of Thomas and Anna[5] (Warren) Little of Marshfield, and granddaughter of Richard[4] Warren, the Mayflower Passenger. Josiah and Abigail Keen had two children: a son, Josiah Keen[6], who married Lydia Baker; and a daughter, who died young, and whose name is unknown.

Josiah Keen, Sr., married, for his second wife, Hannah Dingley, daughter of John Dingley of Marshfield, and by her had seven children: three sons, John, Matthew and Ephraim, and four daughters, Hannah, Elizabeth, Abigail and Sarah.

Josiah Keen, Sr., of Duxbury, made his will 28 May, 1695, but it was not probated until 15 September, 1710. The date of his death has not been found.

Josiah Keen[6] (*Abigail Little[6], Anna[5] Warren, Richard[4]*) married Lydia Baker, as already stated, and had eleven children, seven sons and four daughters. The sons were: Benjamin, Josiah (died young), Josiah again, Nathaniel, Samuel, Isaac, Hezekiah. The daughters were: Abigail, who married Nicholas Drew; Eleanor, who married Joseph Thomas; Lydia, who married George Partridge; Bethiah, who married Judah West.

Josiah Keen[6] lived in Pembroke. He made his will 2 February, 1728; but the date of his death has not been found. The first of the witnesses to his will was sworn on 23 December, 1732, and Josiah probably died not long before that date.

We here present exhaustive abstracts of all records, and original documents on file, in the Plymouth County, Mass., Registry of Probate, relating to the estates of Josiah Keen of Duxbury and his son Josiah Keen of Pembroke, the proper reference being given with each abstract.

This article is printed at the expense of a member of the Massachusetts Society of Mayflower Descendants, Mr. John W. Churchill, of Plymouth, Mass., who is descended from Judah and Bethiah (Keen) West in two different lines: through their daughter Lydia West, who married George Holmes; and through their son Samuel West, who married Elizabeth Rich.

[From original will] "I give to my sone Josiah Keene y[e] part of my land wher he y[e] sd Josiah Keene doth now dwell a strait line from y[e] Corner of his ould orcherd fenc to a maple tree marked standing one the southerly side of puding brooke and from y[e] afore sd Corner of the orcherd fenc as his fenc Runs to the end of my land with a smal parcel of medow land Caled lendals medow y[e] uper part all the rest of my land and housing I doo give to my wif both upland and mdow improved and dorman duering y[e] tim of her widowhoohond and after her death or being maried to another man The sd housing upland and medow to return to my son mathew The sd mathew Keen paiing to my two sons John Keen and ephraim keen five pounds each of them two: all my teem and Tacklin belonging to y[e] team both horse and oxen I do give to my wif duering the time of her widowhoud or til shee be maried to another man then to return to my son mathew and for my foure Daghter my will is y[t] thai shall have foure pounds a peece everi one of them paied to them out of my estat ate or about the tim of ther being maried I sai paid to them four out of my movable estat and for my grand children my wil is y[t] thai shal have everi on of them twelve penc a penc a peece paied to them out of my movable estat"

"my wife To be my trew and lawful administrator"

The will was dated 28 May, 1695, and signed by "the mark of Josiah Keen senior". The witnesses were Josiah Holmes and "Aaron Soul". On 15 September, 1710, "The Will of Josiah Kean late of Duxbury" was probated, on the testimony of the two witnesses. [The will was also recorded, 2: 160.]

[From original document] Francis Barker and Josiah Holmes took the inventory, on 15 September, 1710, and on that day, "Widdow Hannah Keane made oath that the abovewritten is a true Inventory of the Estate of her late husband Josiah Keen" No real estate was mentioned. [The inventory was also recorded, 2: 161.]

Note four (4) different spellings of Keen in this will
KEEN - KEENE - KEAN - KEANE

Note: Both wills were signed by a "mark". It is not known if Josiah sr or Josiah jr actually wrote out their own wills or it was done by someone else which would possibly explain the different spellings of the name KEEN.

Robert R. Keen 1993

[Will of Josiah Keen of Pembroke]

[From original will] "Josiah Keen of Pembrok .... yeaman" made his will on 2 February, 1728. Bequests were as follows.

"my .... will is that .... Debtes and Funerel Charges be satesfied and payed and then that y[e] legeses here after given to my six sones and y[t] to my Loving Dafter Elener Thomas and y[t] to my Grand Child Mary Bruster be Payed by my Executrex .... out of my moveable Estate In one year after my Deseas"

To "Wife Leadyah Keen a living In my house where in I now Dwell (as long as she shall live) which I Reserved in y[e] Dead I Gave of the same to my son Isaac Keen allso I Give to my sd wife the use and Improvement of all the Resedu of my moveable Estate So long as She shall Remaine my widdow with power to Dispose of such part thare of as may be nessesary for her soport: and further my mind and will is that if my sd widdow shall Se case to mary a gaine then my mind and will is that she shall have Twenty pounds out of my Estate: and the other part thareof shall be Disposed of as is here after ordered"

To "Son Benjemin Keen Four shilings which with what I have afredy given him by Dead I account a suffitient Porshun for him"

To "Son Josiah Keen Four Shilings which with What I have afredy Given him I apprehend is a suffitient portion for him"

To "Son Nethaniel Keen Four Shilings which with what he hath allredy had I account his part or portion of my Estate"

To "son Samuel Keen Four Shilings which with what he hath already had I account his full Portion in my Estate"

To "son Isaac Keen Four Shilings which with what he hath already had is his Full portion"

To "Son Hazeciah Keen Four shilings which with what he hath already had is his full portion"

To "Dafter Elener Thomas y[e] wife of Joseph Thomas Four Pounds:"

To "my Grandchild Mary Bruster Twenty Shilings"

"all y[e] Remaining part of my moveable Estate at my wives Deseas or at har marage which Ever shall first hapen shall be Equelly Devided betwen my four Dafters or thare Legel Representetives that is to say to the Children of my Dafter Abigale Drew one Fourth part and to my Dafter Elener Thomas one fourth part and to the Children of my Dafter Lediah Patridge one Fourth part and to my Dafter Bethiah West one fourth Part:"

"wife Ledeah Keen to be Sole Executrex"

The will was signed by a mark. The witnesses were "Aaron Soul", "Aaron Soul Junr" and "Elisha Bisbe". They made oath to the will as follows: Elisha Bisbe on 23 December, 1732; Aaron Soul, Jr., on 25 December, 1732; Aaron Soul, Sr., on 26 December, 1732; all before Isaac Winslow, Judge of Probate. On 10 January, 1732,* the will "of Josiah Keen late of Pembrok" was probated, at Marshfield, and administration granted to "Ledea Keen Relict Widdow of the sd deceased" [The will was also recorded, 6: 272.]

[From original warrant] On 2 January, 1732,† a warrant to appraise the real and personal estate was issued to "Cap[t] Fra[s] Barker Cap[t] Nehemiah Cushing and m[r] Aron Sole‡ all of pembroke" [The warrant was also recorded, 6: 274.]

[From original inventory] On 5 January, 1732,§ the inventory was taken, and signed by "Fra[s] Barker", "Nehemiah Cushing" and "Aaron Soul". The total was £225, 8s., 9d. No real estate was included. Three interesting items are: "the bed and furniture att Hezekiah Keens" £12; "one Kittle att Hezekiahs and pare Shares" 13s.; "One promesary Noat From Hezekiah" £2, 11s.

On 9 January, 1732,‖ "Ledia Keen Executor .... of her late husband Josiah Keen" and the three appraisers made oath to the inventory, before Isaac Winslow, Judge of Probate. [The inventory was also recorded, 6: 274.]

I am at this tim weak in bodi and exersised with pains which
puts me in mind yt i am drawing to ye hous of all living
yet through gods goodnes haue such a com petent measure of
under standing and memory yt i do find my self capable of
making a will to dispose of what god of his bounty hath
given to mee i doo therefore freely giue up my soul to
god yt gaue it to mee and my bodi to ye ground to be desent
ly buried and all my worldly good in manner as foloweth I
I giue to my sone Iosiah boone yt part of my land wher
... ye sd Iosiah boone doth now dwell a strait line from
ye corner of his ould orchard fence to a maple tree marked
standing one the southerly side of [illegible] brooke and
from ye aforesd corner of the orchard fence as his fence
runs to the end of my land with a smal parsel of medow
land called Londons medow yt upon [illegible] all the rest of
my land and housing i doo giue to my wife both upland and
medow improued and unimproued during ye tim of her widowhood
and after her death or being married to another man
the sd housing upland and medow to return to my son mathew
the sd mathew boon paing to my two sons Iohn boon and Iosiah
boon fiue pounds each of them two: all my teaming
tackling belonging to ye team both horse and oxen i do giue to
my wife during the time of her widowhood or his ... be
married to another man then to return to my son mathew and for
my four daughters my will is yt thai shall haue foure pounds a
peece eueri one of them paid to them out of my estat at or
or about the tim of their being maried i sai paid to them four
out of my mouable estat and for my grand children
my wil is yt thai shal haue eueri one of them twelue pence a
peece paid to them out of my mouable estat and
further i doo here by Constitute and ordain and apoint my wife
to be my trew and lawful administratrix to receiue in and
to pai all dets dues and legacies to my children or otherwise
as ... mai be

the I of
mark

witness ...
Iosiah holmes

Iosiah boon senior

this 28: dai of may 1695

memorand That on the [illegible] of September 1710 Josiah Holmes made
oath That he sy the Execution of Josiah Boon [illegible] to this
Instrument & [illegible] made oath that they heard said Boon
declare this Instrument to be his last will & Testament & that he then was
of a disposing mind & memory to [illegible] their understanding
before me Nathaniel Thomas Judge of Probate

September 15th 1710

A true Inventory of the Estate of Josiah Keen deceased taken by us the subscribers

Bookes	0	10	0
wearing apparel	6	00	0
a bead and bedding / ditto a bead	10 / 1	00	0
pewter and brass	03	00	0
kettles and pots	02	00	0
small implements of household stuff	01	00	0
barrels and other vessels	01	10	0
in wool and yarn	01	10	0
two spinning wheeles	00	06	0
to pare of cards	00	04	0
a table and form	01	00	0
five chairs	00	05	0
Implements for husbandry	05	00	0
ammunition	00	03	0
an ox	04	00	0
an old mare	01	00	0

Francis Barker

Josiah Holmes

Memorand That on the 15th day of Septem 1710 Widdow Hannah Keene made oath that the above written is a true Inventory of the Estate of her Late husband Josiah Keen so far as she knows & when she knows more she will cause it to be added before me Nathaniel Thomas Judge of Probt

Nathaniel Thomas Esqr duly appointed & Commissioned
Judge of the Probate of Wills &c
To all to whom these presents shall come Greeting

Know yee That on the 11th day of September 1710 before me at
Marshfield in the County of Plimouth The Will of Josiah Keen
Late of Duxbury in the County of Plimouth deceased To these
presents Annexed was Proved Approved & Allowed who having
whilst he Lived & at the time of his death Goods Chat-
-tells Rights & Credits in the County aforesd And the Probate of
the said Will & Power of Comitting Administration of all &
singular the Goods Chattells Rights & Credits of the said
deceased & also the hearing Examining & allowing the accompt
of the same by vertue thereof appertaining unto me. The
Administration of all & singular the goods chattells Rights
& Credits of the said deceased & his Will in any Maner Concern-
-ing is hereby Comitted unto Hannah Keen Relict Widdow
of the said deceased & sole Executor in the same Will
named well & faithfully to Execute the sd Will & to Administer
the Estate of the said deceased according thereunto & to make a true
& Perfect Inventory of all & singular the goods Chattells Rights
& Credits of the said deceased & to Exhibit the same into the Re-
gistry of the Court of Probate for the County aforesd at or before
the 22d day of September Currant & also to Render a Plaine &
true account of her said Administration upon oath In Tes-
-timony whereof I have hereunto set my hand & the seale of
the said Court of Probate Dated at Marshfield the day & yeare
first above written

Nathaniel Thomas

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In the Name of God amen: This second Day of February
In the year of Our Lord one thousend seven hundred and
Twenty Eight: I Josiah Keen of Pembrok in ye County of
Plymouth yeaman being sick & weak of Body but of Perfect
Mind and memory prayes be given to god for the same: and
Knowing ye mortality of my body and not knowing how sune
it may Pleas God to Cule me out of this world and being Dezierus
to setel my Estate Do make and ordaine this my last will and
Testement in maner Following: viz:
Thirst and princeably I Recomend my sole Into the hands of
God who Gave it: hoping for the fre pardon of all my sones through
the merites of Jesus Christ my Redemer: and my body to the
Earth to such Desent & Christian Buriel as by my Executrex
here after named shall be thout Convenient
and as touching my worldly Estate which God hath Gratiously
Lent me my mind and will is that first my just Debtes and
Funeral Charges be satisfied and payed and then that ye legeses
here after given to my six sones and yt to my Loving Dafter
Elener Thomas and yt to my Grand Child Mary Bruster be
Payed by my Executrex here after named out of my moveable
Estate In one year after my Desees
Item I Give and bequeth to my Loving Wife Leadyah Keen a living
In my house where in I now dwell (as long as she shall live) which
I Reserved in ye Dead I Gave of the same to my son Isaac Keen
also I Give to my sd wife the use and Improvement of all the
Resedu of my moveable Estate Solong as she shal Remaine my widdow
with power to Dispose of such part thereof as may be nessesary for
her support: and further my mind and will is that if my sd widdow shall
Seeae to mary a gaine then my mind and will is that she shall have
twenty pounds out of my Estate: and the other part thereof shall be
Disposed of as is here after ordered
Item I Give and bequeth to my Loving son Benjemin Keen Four shilings
which with what I have alredy given him by Dead I account a sufficient
Portion for him
Item I Give to my Loving son Josiah Keen Four shilings which with
What I have alredy given him I apprehend is a sufficient portion
for him
Item I give and bequeth to my loving son Nethaniel Keen Four
Shilings which with what he hath allready had I account his
part or portion of my Estate
Item I give and bequeth to my Loving son Samuel Keen Four
Shilings which with what he hath already had I account his full
Portion in my Estate
Item I give and bequeth to my loving son Isaac Keen Four
Shilings which with what he hath already had is his full portion
Item I Give to my Loving son Hazeciah Keen Four shilings
which with what he hath already had is his full portion
Item I Give and bequeth to my Loving Dafter Elener Thomas
wife of Joseph Thomas Four Pounds: To be Payed out of
my moveable Estate
Item

Item I Give and bequeth to my Grandchild M[illegible] Bruster Twenty Shilings to be payed out of my moveable Estate —

Item my mind and will is that all ye Remaining part of my moveable Estate at my wives Deseas great bar marage which Ever shall first hapen shall be Equally Devided between my four Dafters or thare Legal Representatives that is to say to the Children of my Dafter Abigale Drew one Fourth part and to my Dafter Elner Thomas one fourth part and to the Children of my Dafter Zediah Patridg one Fourth part and to my Dafter Bethiah West one fourth Part: And Lastly I nomenate and appoynt my Loving wife Ledach Keen to be Sole Executrex of this my last will and Testament In witnes Whare of I have heare unto set my hand and afexed my Seall the Day and year first above writen

his
Josiah [illegible] Keen
mark

Signed Sealed and Declared to be his last Will and testement In Presents of us witnesses

Aaron Soul
Aaron Soul Junr
Elisha Bisbe

December the 23: 1732: The above named Elisha Bisbe made oath that he saw the above named Josiah Keen signe seal and heard him declare the above and within written Instrument to be his Last Will and Testament and that he at the same time together with Aaron Souk and Aaron Souk Junr in the presence of the said Testator set to their hands as Witnesses and that according to the best of his observation he then was of a sound and disposing mind and Memory.

Before Isaac Winslow Judge of Probate

December the 25: 1732: The above named Aaron Souk Junr made oath that he saw the above named Josiah Keen signe seal and heard him declare the above and within written Instrument to be his Last will and Testament and that he at the same time together with Aaron Souk and Elisha Bisbe in the presence of the said Testator set to their hands as Witnesses and that according to the best of his Observation he then was of a sound and disposing mind and memory.

Before Isaac Winslow Judge of Probate

Isaac Winslow Esqr Judge of ye probate of wills and for the Granting of administrations in the County of plymouth within ye province of ye Massachusets Bay in New England To Capt. Francis Barker Capt. Nehemiah Cushing and Mr Aaron Soule all of pembroke in the County aforesd Greeting: You are hearby Impowered and Directed to take a View and make a Just and Equal apprisement according to the best of yor Judgment of all ye Estate both Reall and personall that Mr Josiah Keen Late of Sd pembroke Dyd Seisd of Lying and being in ye County of plymouth aforesd and make Return thereof undr yor hands and uppon yor Oaths unto myself as soon as Conveniently you Can: Given Undr My hand and the Seall of ye Sd Corte of probate the second Day of Jenewary Annodm 1782.

Isaac Winslow

THE WILLS OF JOSIAH KEEN sr and JOSIAH KEEN jr
I RECEIVED THESE COPIES FROM:

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BOSTON MASSACHUSETTS 02108 REFERENCE: ph: (617) 557-1082

The MAYFLOWER DESCENDANT 1917-1918 v. 19-20 pp 128-131 interprets much of the wills of Josiah sr and Josiah jr Keen, however, in this book is actual copies of the hand-written wills of our ancestors, the earliest dated 1695 (Josiah sr). The MD account gives a fair and accurate account of what is said in the wills. Although some of it is very difficult to read, there are Probate Court orders for inventories of both Josiah sr's and Josiah jr's property, first by Nathaniel Thomas, Judge of Probate and by Isaac Winslow, Judge of Probate Court, Plymouth County.

An interesting piece of honesty in Josiah jr's will is (1728) " being sick and weak of body but of perfect mind and memory" which tells me that he was quite ill at the time and was putting his business in order.

Sometime after Josiah jr died, Judge Winslow directed Capt. Francis Barker, Jeremiah Cushing and Aaron Soule to inventory Josiah's estate "late of Pembroke" and his property is listed.

January the 9: 1732: Lydia Keen ~~[illegible]~~ Executor named in the last will and Testament of her late husband Josiah Keen late of Pembrook in the County of Plimoth deceased made oath that the within written is a Tru and perfect Inventory of the Estate ~~of the Estate~~ of her late husband the sd Josiah Keen as far as is come to her knowledg and if more hereafter appears she will also give it in:

Before Isaac Winslow Judge of Probate

The day above written the ~~above~~ within named Francis Barker Nehemiah Cushing and Aaron Soul made oath that the apprisement by them made of the Estate of the sd Josiah Keen is a just and equall apprisement according to the best of their Judgment. — — —

Before Isaac Winslow Judge

We the Subscribers being appointed By the Honorabl Isaac Winslow Esqr Judge of the probate of wills and for Granting of Administration in the County of plymouth &c To make an apprisement of ye Reall and personall Estate that mr Josiah Keen Late of pembroke Deceas'd Dyd Seiz'd of Did upon the 5th of Janwary in ye year 1732 make an apprisement as followeth

His apparill	£	15:00:0
promise bills		00:12:9
the best bed and furniture		24:06:0
the bed in the bed Room Chamber		17:04:0
the bed and furniture att Hezekiah Keen		12:00:0
Table Lining		00:15:0
flax wheel and yarn		03:02:0
hom Spun Worsted Cloath		03:04:0
puter and Earthin ware		04:17:0
Looking Glass and Glass bottles		01:10:0
pots kittles Tramels Dogs and other things for ye fire and Cooking		04:03:6
knives forks and Candlestick		00:03:0
books and Sword		00:06:0
Comb worsted Combs Cards and wheels		02:08:0
Chairs and Chests		01:18:0
Tables and forme		01:13:0
Sives brooms and baskets		00:15:0
Carpinters tools and old Iron		01:11:0
Meall Troughs Trays and plates		01:06:0
Meat Tubs and Other Cask		02:01:6
porke 8:6:6, beef 1:5:0		09:11:6
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Indian Corn Rye wheat and flax seed		10:09:0
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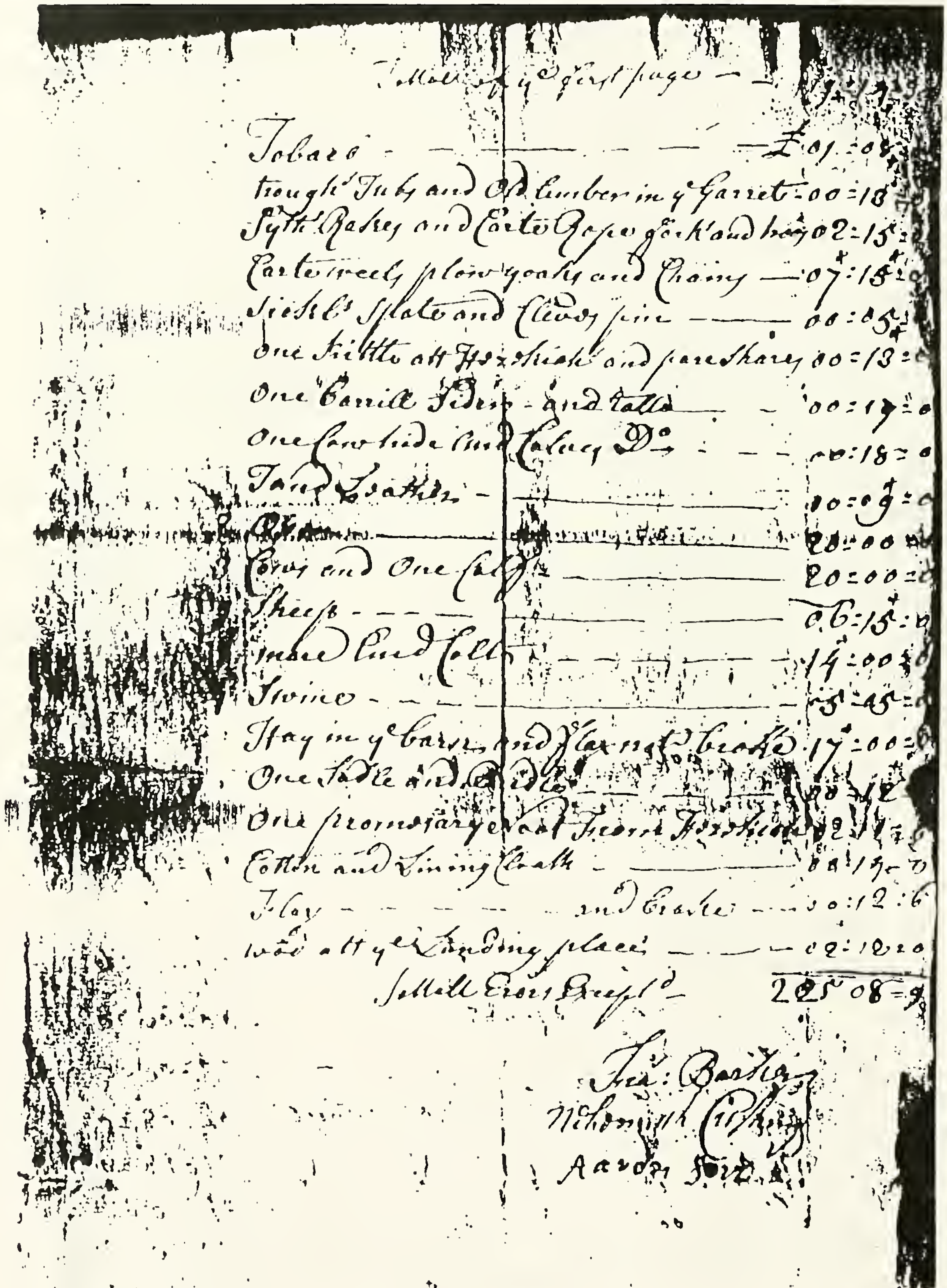

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Sickels Slate and Clevis pin — — 00:05

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One Cow hide and Calves Do - - - 00:18:0

Tand Leather — — — — 00:09:0

Oxen — — — — 20:00

Cows and One Calf — — — 20:00:0

Sheep — — — — 06:15:0

mare and Colt — — — — 14:00:0

Swine — — — — 5:15:0

Hay in ye barn and flax not broke 17:00:0

One Sadle and bridle — — 00:12

One promisary note from Hezekiah 02:17

Cotton and Linning Cloath — — 00:15:0

Flax — — — — and Crate — 00:12:6

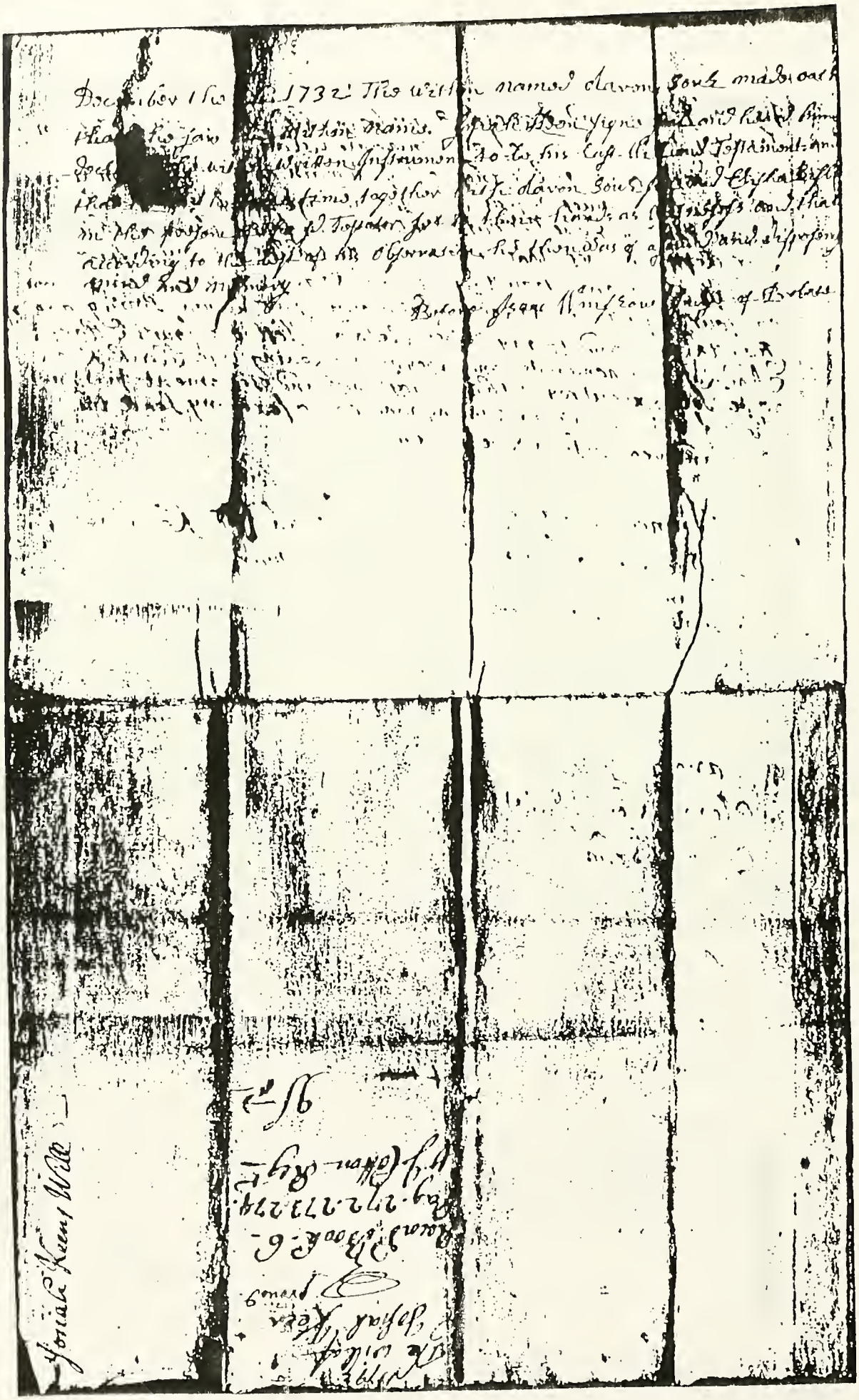
wood att ye Landing place — — — 02:10:0

Totall Errors Excepted — 225:08:9

Fra: Barker
Nehemiah Cushing
Aaron [illegible]

Isaac Winslow Esqr. appointed and Commissioned to be Judge of the Probate of Wills and for granting of Administration in the County of Plymouth in New England: To all to whom these presents shall come Greeting: Know ye that on the Tenth day of January in the Year of our Lord One thousand Seven hundred and thirty two: Before me at Marshfield in the County afores. the Will of Joseph Moon late of Pembroke in the County of Plymouth deceased to these presents annexed having been proved was approved and allowed who having while he lived and at the time of his death Goods Chattels Rights and Credits in the County afores. and the Probate of the sd Will and power of Committing Administration of all and singular the Goods Chattels Rights and Credits of the sd deceased and also the hearing, examining and allowing the accompts of the same by virtue thereof appertaining unto me The Administration of all and singular the Goods Chattels Rights and Credits of the sd deceased and his Will in any manner concerning is hereby committed unto [illegible] Widow of the sd deceased sole Executrix in the same Will named; well and truly to execute the sd Will and to Administer the Estate of the sd deceased according thereunto; And to make a true and perfect Inventory of all and singular the Goods Chattels Rights and Credits of the sd deceased and to Exhibit the same into the Registry of the Court of Probate for the County afores. at or before the tenth day of February next Ensuing and also to render a plaine and true accompt of her sd Administration upon Oath. In Testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand and the Seal of the sd Court of Probate: Dated at Marshfield afores. the day and year first above written

Isaac Winslow



KEEN GENEALOGY G3 PARENTS JOSIAH KEEN sr AND ABIGAIL WARREN LITTLE

JOSIAH KEEN jr / LYDIA BAKER

b. c. 1655
p. Marshfield, MA

d. December 23, 1732
Pembroke, MA

FIRST KEEN OF OUR LINEAGE
BORN IN AMERICA

b. February 18, 1659 (MD2:179)
p. Duxbury, MA

d. c. 1752
m. Josiah Keen jr in 1681
in Duxbury, MA
father: Samuel Baker
mother: Elinor/Ellen Winslow

The children of JOSIAH KEEN jr and LYDIA BAKER ...

BENJAMIN KEEN
b. July 26, 1682
p. Duxbury, MA
d.
m. Deborah Baker
Howland - 1719
Pembroke, MA
4 children

JOSIAH KEEN III
b. September 27, 1683
p. Duxbury, MA
d. Died young

ABIGAIL KEEN
b. April 3, 1685
p. Duxbury, MA
d. April 22, 1715
Plymouth, MA
m. Nicholas Drew
4 children

LIDIA KEEN
b.
p.
m. George Partridge 1712
4 children

JOSIAH KEEN III (2)
b. c. 1690
p. Duxbury, MA
d.
m. Rebecca Rose
3 children

NATHANIEL KEEN
b. November 11, 1692
p. Duxbury, MA
d. January 20, 1784
buried Pembroke
m. Thankful Winslow
October 27, 1725

SAMUEL KEEN
b. c. 1694
p. Duxbury, MA
d.
m. Ruth Sprague
April 18, 1719
Duxbury - 11 c.

BETHIER KEEN
b.
p. Duxbury, MA
d.
m. Judah West
September 3, 1718
5 children

ELENOR KEEN
b.
p.
d.
m. Joseph Thomas
at Pembroke
April 24, 1718

ISAAC KEEN
b. c. 1700
p. Duxbury, MA
d.
m. Deborah Dwelly
(2) Lydia Jones

HEZEKIAH KEEN
b. August 6, 1702
p. Duxbury, MA
d. December 27, 1770
m. Alice Howland
11 children

Hezekiah Keen's account confirms much of this information. (MD 28:1)

The DUXBURY RECORDS mention members of the Keen family many times, i.e., a description of property belonging to Hezekiah and Isaac Kein (sic) on p. 167. On p. 79, a mention of Benjamin Keen, who bought 30 acres of land on September 16, 1706. They also verify the births of Benjamin, Josiah III (1), Abigail, (listed as Kaine) d. of Josiah and Lidea. The Pembroke vital records (VR) verify the marriages of Benjamin to Deborah Howland, Elenor to Joseph Thomas, Isaac to Deborah Dwelly of Scituate on February 17, 1724 and they had at least one son, Isaac, jr. b. April 27, 1736, Bethier to Judah West, and that Josiah Keen III (2) married Rebecca Rose and two of their children's birth are recorded -- Lydiah, b. February 18, 1720 and Josiah, b. February 20, 1722. There are other verifications of births, deaths and marriages of others in the same generation. (See birth, death, marriage records of Duxbury, Pembroke and Marshfield.

It is obvious that most of the Keen family stayed in the Duxbury, Pembroke and Marshfield area for many years and it was Nathaniel's son, Joshua, b. December 13, 1730 at Pembroke who established our ties with Maine.

We are following the lineage of NATHANIEL KEEN (G4)

Muster Roll of Capt Sam[ll] Wheelwright & Company from October 23[d] to June 2[d] 1724.

Sam[ll] Wheelwright	Capt	Lev[tt] Wells	Will[m] Hartwell		Concord
Barnibs Wickson	Serg[t]	Yarmouth	Peater Joseph		Deceased
Sam[ll] Hinkley	Do	Cape Cod	George Goden		Newbrey
Josiah Gibbs	"	Plimtown	Philip Hoyt		Amsbury
Josiah Keen	Corp[ll]	Pembrook	Jon[a] Wattson		Do
Rich[d] Burt	"	Sudbury	Henery Maddocks		Wells
John Trowrethy Sen[ll]		Barwick	Will[m] Duly		Oister River
John Richardson		Kittrey	John Eavens		Dorchester
Rich[d] Dean		Rehoboth	Jacob Hamblen		Cape Cod
Sam[l] Cash		Cape Cod	John Macdaniel		Milton
Will[m] James		Do	Jon[a] Dennison		Hull Run
James Legget		Dorchester	Joseph Arter		Deceased
Ebz[r] Boltwoed		Barwick	Thom[s] Dennies		Ipswich
Nich[s] Gillison		Do	John Manning		Cambridge
John Baker		Boston	James Powell		Berwick
Jehob[a] Dunam		Plymouth	Jere[m] Hopkisson		Rowley
Jon[a] Stuardfort		Do	Joseph Day		Wells
James Medoll		Wells	John Wittens		Berwick
Charls Gillmoer		Boston	John Stevens son to Mary Stevens of Wells		
Philip Brown servt to John Fowle		Charlestown	Ze[c] Hicks Cleark		Cambridge

Mass. Arch. 91 : 112, 113.

This Josiah Keen is most probably Josiah Keen III, the second child named Josiah, son of Josiah Keen jr (G3) and Lydia Baker. He was born c. 1690 and his age would be logical for the Continental Army in 1724.

NOTES

The KEEN name is prominent throughout Massachusetts, particularly, the early late 1700's and early 1800's. However, regarding our lineage, we must keep in mind that Joshua Keen and family moved to Maine in 1780, therefore, any mentions of KEEN(E) -- although a distant relative — were not in our lineage from Massachusetts after 1780 until JOSEPH KEEN moved from Maine to Somerville, Massachusetts about 1879. Below is some information about some of our distant cousins.

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CHAPTER XIX.

WHITE'S FERRY YARDS. — 1705-1840.

SIMEON KEENE, SIMEON KEENE, JR., BENJAMIN KEENE, ISAAC KEENE, LUKE HALL, WILLIAM HALL, SAMUEL HALL.

THE Keenes and the Halls built at these yards for many years, but they were probably occupied nearly a hundred years prior to their time. As early as 1705 we find there was built in Marshfield the sloop "MARY & ABIGAIL," 40 tons; owners, Bethia Little, widow, of Boston, Isaac Little, of Marshfield, and John Henshaw, of Boston. In 1711, the ship "TAUNTON MERCHANT," 70 tons, was built at Marshfield; owners, James Cooks, of Cullumstock, James Norman, John Blake, Samuel Lucas, and John Southerton, of Taunton, Richard Southerton of Wallington, and Joshua Norman, of Topsham; and in 1713 the sloop "BLOSSOM," 30 tons, was built at Marshfield, Joseph Flood, of Boston, owner. The above vessels were undoubtedly built on these yards, as the next oldest yard in Marshfield was at Gravelly Beach. The next vessels built here of which any account has been found were those built by Simeon Keene, and later by his sons Simeon and Benjamin. Isaac Keene was also interested in a few. Benjamin was captain of a North River packet boat about 1820. The following is the genealogy of the ship-building branch of the Keene family:

Josiah Keene mar. Hannah, dau. of John Dingley, and had one child, John, b. 1667. *Simeon Keene*, the shipwright, was b. Sept. 30, 1725, and d. "of a Saturday, July the 17th day of the month, 1790." He mar. in 1751 Lydia Stevens, who was b. July 19, 1728. They had children: *1.* Lucy, b. Nov. 18, 1752; mar. Oliver Porter 1773. *2.* Nathaniel, b. Aug. 8, 1754; *3.* Ruth, b. July 31, 1756; mar. Peabody Little, and d. 1781. *4.* Lydia, b. April 28, 1758. *5.* Simeon, b. Nov. 26, 1761; mar. Christina Joyce. *6.* Stevens, b. June 24, 1784. *7.* Deborah, b. July 30, 1766. *8.* Benjamin, b. Mar. 29, 1769. *9.* William, b. July 11, 1771, d. Sept. 11, 1792. Five of Simeon's (the ship-builder's) children survived him, they were Lydia, Simeon, Stevens, Benjamin and William. Benjamin succeeded to the yard, and carried on the business of ship-building there. Barstow Carver, father of Hatch Carver, worked for him at one time. Benjamin Keene was a man of some property, very stern and arbitrary, and did not desire too many friends. He married Susanna Church, and had children: 1. Benjamin, now deceased. 2. Cornelius, who d. in Nov. 1888, in his 89th year. 3. Nathaniel, who resides in Marshfield. 4. Martin, who d. April 17, 1864, aged 49 years. 5. William, who left a numerous family in Hartford, Conn. 6. George R., now living in Abington, where he has a family. 7. Lydia, deceased. 8. Almira, who d. in March, 1884, aged 80 years. 9. Harriet, now living in Marshfield, and 10. Susan, deceased. MARTIN mar. and lived on Decatur St., Charlestown, during the latter part of his life, and was employed on the Charlestown Navy Yard. He left two sons and one dau. One son is mar. and resides in Weymouth, Mass., where he has two children, Mabel E. and Lillian F. The other son, Charles W. Keene, is unmarried and resides at Sea View Village, Marshfield, Mass. Ada, the dau. married a Mr. Beinbart. She d. Nov. 11, 1876, aged 22 years, leaving one child, Ada K.

Keene's yard was located on the Capt. Day place, where the Hall's afterward built. On this farm there is a well of fresh water that ebbs and flows with the tide. *Simeon Keene* built in 1787 the sch. "NEPTUNE," 64 tons, owned by Simeon Keene, Sr. and Jr., Marshfield; and in 1789 the slp. "INDUSTRY," 60 tons; owned by Joseph and Elisha Phillips, William Macomber, Joshua Vinal and Simeon Keene, Marshfield. He also built the following vessels: In 1793, the brig "DOLPHIN," 122 tons, of Boston; in 1794, the ship "SUPERB," *335 tons*, of Boston; in 1795 the brig "DESPATCH," 139 tons, of Portsmouth. The ship "COLUMBIAN PACKET," 220 tons, of Marshfield, built in 1802, Joseph Hunt, Adam Fish and Chandler Sampson, of Marshfield, owners, was probably built by the Keene family.

Benja Keen

built in 1805 the sch. "SATURN," 107 tons, owned by Benjamin and Isaac Keene, and Samuel Baker, of Marshfield; and in 1818 the sch. "EOS," 85 tons, of Boston, sold at the Sandwich Islands, January 25, A. D., 1820. The Keenes built many other vessels here, but no record has been found by which they may be identified. The only other vessel of which we have positive proof of having been built by the Keenes is the sloop "NORTH RIVER PACKET," 38 tons, built in 1820. She was owned by Benjamin and Isaac Keene, Jr., Alden Briggs, Pembroke, Benjamin Hatch, Daniel Phillips, David Church, Nathaniel Pratt, Luther Little, Dunforthe Hall, John Bourne, Jr., of Marshfield. She was afterward sold to Boston, and owned in 1839 by John Belcher, of Boston, and Benjamin Bramhall, of Quincy. This was doubtless the last vessel built by the Keenes. Between 1820 and 1825 no record has been found of vessels having been built here. In the absence of the five years history of these yards, a few old and interesting items, and one or two anecdotes, will be inserted. In the *Boston Gazette and Country Journal* of Dec. 13, 1773, is recorded the death of a Marshfield man, as follows:

"Last Friday evening being very dark and rainy, Mr. Ezekiel Kent, of Fox Islands, formerly of Marshfield, having been on board a sloop lying at Minot's T, to see an acquaintance, about six o'clock, was returning to the vessel to which he belonged, but unfortunately fell from the T and was drowned. He was 27 years of age, and a man well respected."

A most remarkable story is related in the *Massachusetts Spy* for the week of August 18th to 21st, 1770:

"Last Tuesday a whale about forty feet in length was discovered by a small fishing schooner off Marshfield, which was then attacked by three large sharks, one of whom the fishermen killed. It measured sixteen feet long, and upon opening it they took out of its paunch as many pieces of the whale as would make a barrel of oil, and it was thought the liver of the shark would make two or three barrels more. The whale was so wounded and worried by the sharks that it became an easy prize for the fishermen, who carried it into Marshfield."

year, two vessels, the schooner Helen, 100 tons, of Boston, and the sloop North River, 27 tons. Charles and Benjamin Hatch part owners. Scollay Baker in 1800 built the schooner Polly, 111 tons, at Duxbury. Prince Hatch built in 1801 the schooner Three Friends, 74 tons, of Barnstable; Elisha Ford, Jr., in 1802 built the brigantine Eliza, 165 tons, and owned it with his father. Aaron Sherman in 1809, the sloop Polly, 35 tons, owned by Benjamin Rogers and Ebenezer Sherman.

While vessels were building on the Marshfield shores of the North river, others were being destroyed on her Atlantic coast. Many sailors have found their graves in the sands of this shore. Thomas Wright, Job Cole and Andrew Seaward, all of Marshfield, lost their lives in 1712 from an upset boat off the Gurnet. In 1759 a schooner from North Carolina, in 1760 a sloop laden with lumber, in 1771 a cargo vessel from Bermuda were a few of the wrecks on the Marshfield shore in the 18th century.

Elijah Brooks and George Tilden built for about ten years: in 1837, the schooner Huron, 106 tons, lost a few years later on a trip to Nassau; the schooner Lewis Bruce, 113 tons, of Provincetown; in 1838, the schooner Erie, 113 tons; the brig Michigan and the schooner Roanoak in 1840, the brig Joseph Balch, 153 tons, Boston; in 1845, the brig Allen Klog, 206 tons. This was the last vessel built in this yard. She was a fast one and employed in the fruit trade from Boston. On one trip from Malaga to New York and back the time was 62 days, the quickest passage of the times.

The William Taylor Yard belonged to William Taylor and Israel Carver. Mr. Taylor's services as a builder were much esteemed. There was built at their yard in 1818 the schooner Lake, 74 tons; in 1850, the schooner Horn. Israel Carver built the Souther in 1860; together the owners of the yard built the Edie Little, 70 tons.

White's Ferry Yards—As early as 1705 we find there were built the sloop Mary & Abigail, 40 tons, owners, Bethia Little, Isaac Little and John Henshaw; in 1711, the ship Taunton Merchant, 70 tons; in 1713, the sloop Blossom, 30 tons.

The next vessels built here of which any account has been found were those built by Simeon Keene, and later by his sons, Simeon and Benjamin. Isaac Keene was also interested in a few. Simeon Keene built in 1787 the schooner Neptune, 64 tons, and 1789, the sloop Industry, 60 tons; in 1793, the brig Dolphin, 122 tons, of Boston; in 1794, the ship Superb, 335 tons, of Boston; in 1795, the brig Despatch, 139 tons, of Portsmouth; in 1805, the schooner Saturn, 107 tons, owned by Benjamin and Isaac Keene, and Samuel Baker of Marshfield; in 1820, the North River Packet. Luke, William and Samuel Hall were the sons of Luke and Anna Tuels Hall. They built in Marshfield together from 1825 to 1828 when Samuel, being then twenty-eight, left the business. Luke and William continued until 1832, from which time until 1840 Luke built alone. The schooner Dray came first; in 1825, the schooner Daniel, 72 tons; the schooner Triton, 75 tons; the brig Smyrna, 172 tons, of Boston; in 1827, the brig Waverly, 232 tons. Luke and William built the brig Newton, 283 tons, of Boston; in 1838, a whaler out of New Bedford into the Pacific Ocean.

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the service of the Province, and despatched on various important missions.

The fac-simile above is of an autograph of his, written in his younger days, about twenty years before his death. A story is told of him, the circumstances of which happened at one time, when the colonel, with two other Duxbury men (Nathaniel Chandler and William Brewster,) accompanying him, went on a visit to Gen. Pepperell, who was then at Saco, Me. The Colonel's visit was of a public nature. Falling into a conversation, the General observed, in a quaint style, that they were three of the most extraordinary men he ever met with. "Brewster," said he, "is famous for telling extraordinary stories, Chandler excels as a singer; but Alden, he is a first rate statesman."—K.

1740. A company was enlisted in the county, to serve in the expedition against the Spanish West Indies, under Admiral Vernon, by Capt. John Winslow, whose original muster-roll on parchment is now before me,* and which I copy. Of the 500 men sent in the expedition by Massachusetts, not more than 50 returned, many having fallen victims to the prevailing tropical fevers. Several Duxbury men will be noticed in their number.

"John Winslow, *Capt.* William Hepburn, *Lieut.*
Joshua Barker, *Lieut.* Samuel Eells, *Ensign.*

Serjants.	*Corporals.*	*Drumers.*
Nathaniel Chandler,	William Reed,	Mark Laveller,
Amos Robens,	Abiah Wadsworth,	Abraham Simmons.
Samuel Jones,	Isaac Bacon,	
Joseph Pryer.	Job Crocker.	
	Privates.	
Ebenezer Alden,	Jo: Cockennehew,	James Huddleston,
Thomas Byram,	Samuel Douglas,	Jonathan Hill,
Benjamin Burne,	Gideon Daws,	Ezekil Hinkley,
Seth Burge,	Robert Davis,	Abraham Jonas,'
Daniel Coner,	Elisha Delano,	Ebenezer Jackson,
Daniel Cuten,	Joseph Francis,	Josiah Keen,
Jo: Coquish,	Judah George,	Philip May,
Jacob Chipman,	Nathl. Hayford,	John Millar,

* Rev. Benjamin Kent's MS. Coll. 126.

This information refers to JOSIAH KEEN III -- son of Josiah Keen, Jr. and Lydia Baker. He is the second child named Josiah III (first died young). However, we are following Nathaniel Keen, of the same parents, in our direct lineage.

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HEZEKIAH KEEN'S ACCOUNT BOOK WITH FAMILY RECORDS

By George Ernest Bowman

In the illustration facing this page are reproduced two pages of an old account book, now the property of the Massachusetts Society of Mayflower Descendants, but originally owned by Hezekiah Keen, of Duxbury, Mass., who was born in 1702 and died in 1770. The pages face each other, in the original, but it was necessary to photograph them separately, on account of the binding of the book.

These two pages contain the only known evidence that Josiah Keen, of Marshfield and Duxbury, Mass., married Abigail Little, of Marshfield, who was the daughter of Thomas Little (of Plymouth and Marshfield) by his wife Anna Warren, daughter of Richard Warren, the Mayflower Passenger.

I called attention to this old account book in the July, 1906, issue of this magazine. One of Hezekiah Keen's great-great-grandsons, Mr. Abdon W. Keene of Winthrop, Mass., the owner of the book, had loaned it to me, so I could make, for the Massachusetts Society's files, exact copies of the family records entered by various members of the Keen family, beginning with Hezekiah Keen himself and including Mr. Abdon W. Keene.

In 1923 I suggested to Mr. George H. Partridge, of Minneapolis, Minn., then recently elected a member of this society and a descendant of Hezekiah Keen, the importance of ensuring the preservation of this valuable genealogical record by securing it for the Massachusetts Society of Mayflower Descendants, and he agreed to finance its purchase.

As Mr. Abdon W. Keene had retired, and was living at Camden, Me., I made a trip to that town to see him, and after a long correspondence with him the book finally became the property of the Massachusetts Society, in 1925, as a gift from Mr. George H. Partridge.

The book has side covers of a dark hard wood, 13 by 8⅛ inches, and about three-eighths of an inch thick at the back, and one-fourth of an inch at the front edge.

The back was made of two pieces, each 13 inches tall, 2¾ inches wide at the top, and 2½ inches at the bottom. The inner strip is about three eighths of an inch thick, and the outer is seven sixteenths.

The covers are fastened to the back by hand-made iron hinges about 7¾ inches long, riveted to the wood.

Inlaid on the back is the monogram "HK", in brass; and "Hezekiah Keen", in brass, was inlaid on the inside of the front cover, at the top.

Originally the book could be locked by a brass clasp and staple, but the padlock was lost long ago.

An old fashioned separate index of twenty-four pages, 12¼ by 3¾ inches, containing also a few business notes, is laid loosely in the book.

A few leaves have been lost, but there are still 478 pages, 214 of them blank, except for the page numbers.

Numerous entries by Hezekiah Keen testify to the ownership of the book.

On the first page, in a bold hand, he wrote, in red ink:

"Hezekiah Keen of Duxbrough".

At the top of the fifth page we find, written in red ink:

"Hezekiah Keen his Hand Ret By me With the Sprengs of my one fengers & ye veains of my one Hands In April ye 12th: 1763".

At the top of the third page from the end of the book we find:

"Hezekiah Keen His Book Ret by me in March ye 10th 1763 who then Leved in Duxbrough & then was In his Sixty first year of my age &c

"Hezekiah Keen His Book Ret in March 1763

"This is my Name Ret By me In my one Hous"

On the last page is written:

"Hezekiah Keen in ye 63 year of my Age & I was Born In August ye 6 old Stile Day 1702 & In new Stile august ye 17 1702"

Literal copies of all family records entered in the book are here printed, the page of the original being indicated in brackets.

[p. 230, left]

Family Record

Married October 8th 1843
Galen Keen Born August 1, 1819
Statira R. Keen " Feb 29, 1824

Children

Abdon W. Keen	[Born]	April 14, 1845
Annie L. Keen	"	March 16, 1847
Noah A. Keen	"	June 24, 1849
Mary A. Keen	"	July 20, 1851
Ansel Keen	"	Feb 14, 1853
Lillie U. Keen	"	October 18, 1857
Sidney B. Keen	"	Jan 10, 1861

[p. 232, left]

"I Moved into the Town of Appleton the 3d day of February 1829 Moved from Bremen and I brought my Wife and Five Children with me

Howland Keen died July 14th 1876
Fanny Keen died February 20th 1876
Mary K. Sprague died March 23th 1851
Eliza K. Tyler died July 22 1870
Reuben Keen died May 22, 1889
Asa H. Keen died in California December 3d 1891.
Galen Keen died in Appleton March 22, 1896

[p. 237, right]

Howland Keen his book wrote in the yeare of our lord 1815 July 9
And was borned in the year 1792 May 3 day
was married in April 20 1815
Fanny Keen was borned in 1789 the 10 Day of December
Reuben Keen was borned 1815 the 6 day of August
Mary Keen was borned 1817 the 20 day of March
Galon Keen was borned 1819 the 1 day of August
Eliza Keen was borned 1822 the 17 day of July
Asa Howland Keen was borned 1826 the 14th of March

[p. 234, left*]

"Prince Keen was Born in febuary ye 20th : 1730 In ye 7 Day of ye weak a Lettel Before Deay

"Chearles Keen was Born Jenuary ye 25th 1732 In ye 5 Day of the week a lettel Before Day

"Mark Keen was Born march 13th 1735 In ye 5 Day of the weak about ye Braken of ye Day *And Departed January the 7 year 1805*"

"Robart Keen was Born Desember ye 10th 1736 In ye 6 Day of the weak about 11 of the Clok Before noon

"Alice Keen was Born June ye 4th 1739 In the 2 Day of the weak about 1 of the Clok after noon *And Departed this Life october 3 A D 1771*"

"Diana Keen was Born August 31th 1741 In ye 2 Day of ye weak about 11 a Clok Before noon *And Departed this Life March 7th 1775*"

(continued on reverse page)

"Bethiah Keen was Born Desember ye 14th 1743 In ye 4 Day of the weak a Lettel Befor Day *and Deceassed may The 19th Ad 1781 in The 7th day of the week*"

"Hezekiah Keen was Born September ye 25th 1746 In ye 5 Day of the weak about Braking ye Brak of Day *And Deceassed December the 8 year 1809*"

"Daniel Keen was Born Desember ye 30th 1748 In ye 6 Day of ye weak a Lettel Before Day *And deported this life July 23^d 1827 at 10 O'clock*"

"Mary Keen was Born in febuary ye 27th 1750 In ye 4 Day of ye weak ye Son one our hie at night

"Willim Keen was Born in may ye 8th 1753 new Stile But In old Stile April ye 27th 1753 on ye 3 Day of ye Weak the Son about two ouers hie in ye morning *And deported this life July 16th 1821*""

[p. 234, right]
Daniel Keen born December 30, 1748
Lucy Freeman Wife of Daniel Keen born June 23, 1765
Married July 21, 1784

Children

Abdon Keen	born June 13, 1785
Mark Keen	" February 2, 1787
Katharine T. Keen	" January 6, 1789
Huwland Keen	" May 3, 1792

Deaths

Daniel Keen died July 23, 1827
Lucy Keen " Dec 2, 1853
Abdon Keen lost at sea Nov 16, 1831
Mark Keen died Sept 28, 1845
Katharine T. Davis April 28, 1877
Howland Keen July 14, 1876
This is a record of my grandfathers family made October 25, 1877
Galen Keen

[p. 235, left*]
"Hezekiah Keen was Born in August ye 6 Day 1702 which was then Caled the old Stile & in ye new is now the 17 Day of August new Stile But in ye Same year 1702

"Alice Keen Who is the wife of Hezekiah Keen was Born In october ye 30th in ye year 1709 old Stile & In the new Stile November ye 12 1709 *And Deported this life October 13th 1785!*"

"Hezekiah Keen Deceessed Dcember ye 27 Day one Thousen Seaven hunderd and Seaventy in the Sixtey ninth yeare of his age"

"Bristoll January the 7 yr 1807 Mark Keen Deceessed"

"Bethiah Keen Deceessed May The 19th Day 1781 in The 7th day of The weel: The Sun About Two Ours hie at Night Who Deceessed att Bristol in The County of Lincoln att Broad Bay"

"Beistol December the 8 1809 Hezekiah Keen Deceessed"

[p. 236, left]
"Hezekiah Keen was Born in Duxbrough in August ye 6 Day 1702

"My Grandfather was Born In London on Lonon Bredg and he Came out of England with his father & mother & left In Lonon two Brothers Behind them & my grat grandfather & grat grandmother Came to Boston In New england & from thence to Hengham & from there to Meshfeld and there my Grandfather Josiah Keen mared with Abigil Lettel who he had my father Josiah Keen By & one Dafter Who Died young and my granmother Dyed allso & Left only my father Josiah Keen who mared with Ledia Baker & theay had Eleven children whos Nams was Benjamin & Josiah who Died young & Abigil Elener Ledia & Josiah Nathanel Bethiah Samuel Isaac and my Self who is Hezekiah who was Born 1702

"and I mared with Alice Howland and had Eleven Children By her Prince Charles Mark Robort Alice Diana Bethiah Hezekiah Danel Mary William"

"September ye 26 Day 1770 Hezekiah Keen & Alice Keen my wife Then we had all our Children to Se us at our house & there was Eleven of them all in health Bot only Alice & She was about hous & all Set Down at ye table to Super to geather & fed on hony"

[p. 236, right]
"Hezekiah Keens Grandfather who was Born In England & Came to New England who was the first Jnsiah Keen In New england and mared to Abigil Lettel & had my father Josiah Keen who was the first Josiah Keen that Ever was Born In New Englnnd and then his mother who was Abigil Lettel She Died & then my granfather mared with his Sekent wife who was Hannah Dengley who my Granfather had 3 Sons & four Dafters

"the Sons nams was John Mathew Ephrim & Hannah Elesebeth Abigil & Sarah

"John Keen mared with Rebakah Barker

"Mathew Keen mared with Martha Macklarland

"Ephrim Keen mared with Hannah Sprought

"the Dafters mared with

"Hannah Keen mared with Isaac oldom

"& Elesebeth mared with John Beshep

"& Abigil Keen mared with Hotsen Beshep

"& Sarah Keen mared with Temothy Rogers"

"Who Josiah Keen ye 2 his Children mared with

"Benjamin Keen mared with the wedo Debrough Howland who was Prince Howlands wedo (hir maden name was Barker*) and he had 4 Children By her Debrough Abigil Benjamin & Lusanah

"Josiah Keen mared with Rebaker Rose who had 3 Children By Joseph Josiah & Ledia

"Nathanel Keen mared with Thankfull Wenslow who he had 5 Children By Nathanel Joshua Sno Aseph & Elethear

"Samuel Keen mared with Ruth Sprage who had 5 Childr[en] By hir willim Levi Abel Samuell Isaiah & Grace

"Isaac Keen mared with Debrah Dwelley and had 1 Son By hir who Is Semeon

"Herekiah Keen mared with Alice Howland and had Eleven Children By hir Prince Charles Mark Robort Alice Dianis Bethiah Hezekiah Danel mary Willim:

"Who my Sesters mared with who was Josiah Keens ye 2 his Dafters

"Abigil mared with Nicheles Drew & had 4 Children Joshua Josiah Necheles & Lemuell

"Elener mared with Joseph Thomos a welchman from wales & had 5 Children By him that grew up Abigil Elener Ledia Jeams & Bethiah

"Ledia mared with Gorge Fatredg who had 4 Children By him Mahel Samuel Sarah & Jeames

"Bethiah mared with Judah Weast & had 6 Children By him Charles Judah David Samuell Josiah & Ledia"

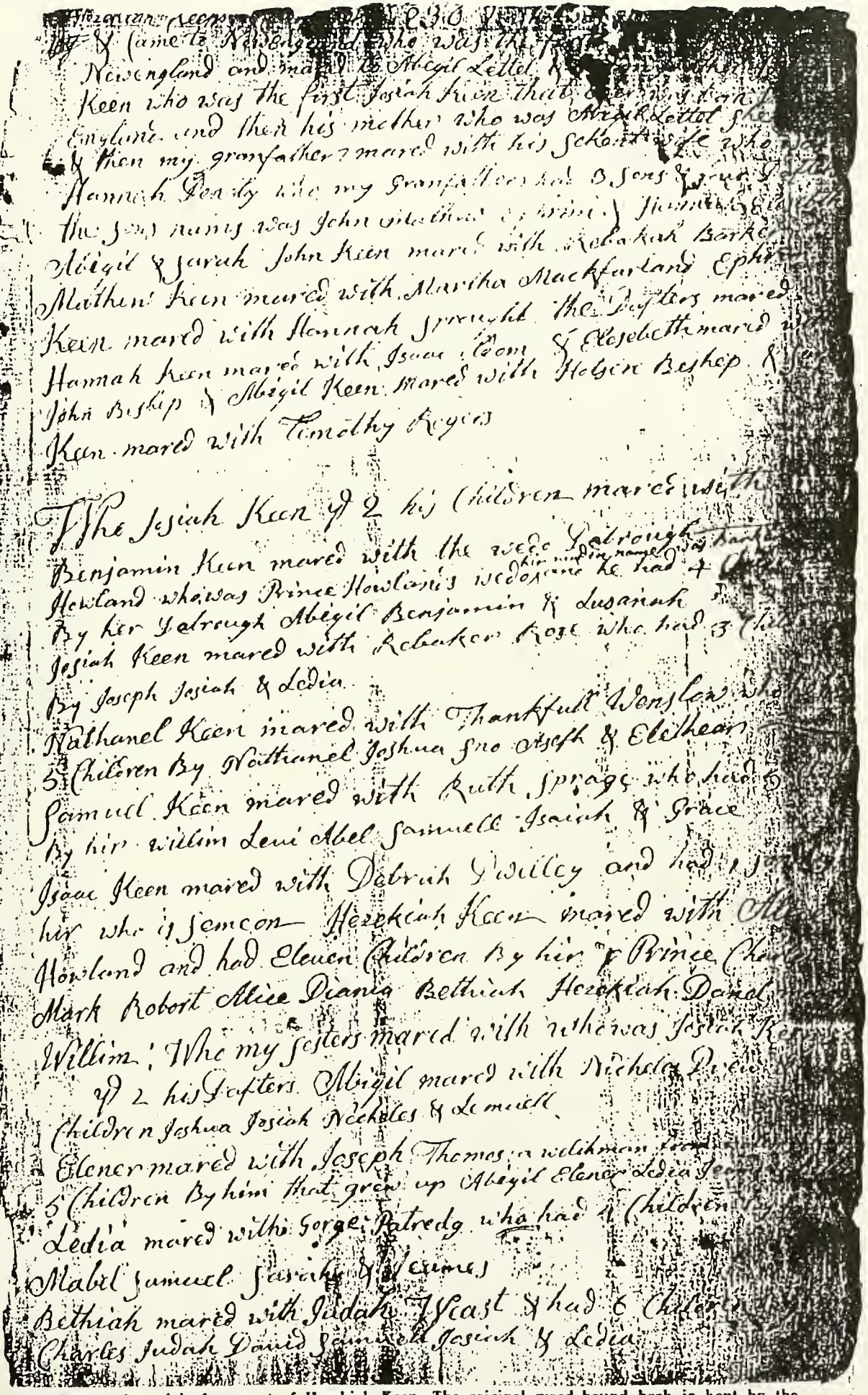
*The births on this page (p.234 left) are all in the hand of Hezekiah Keen, the father of the children.

*The words in italics (p.234 left) are in a different hand and ink.

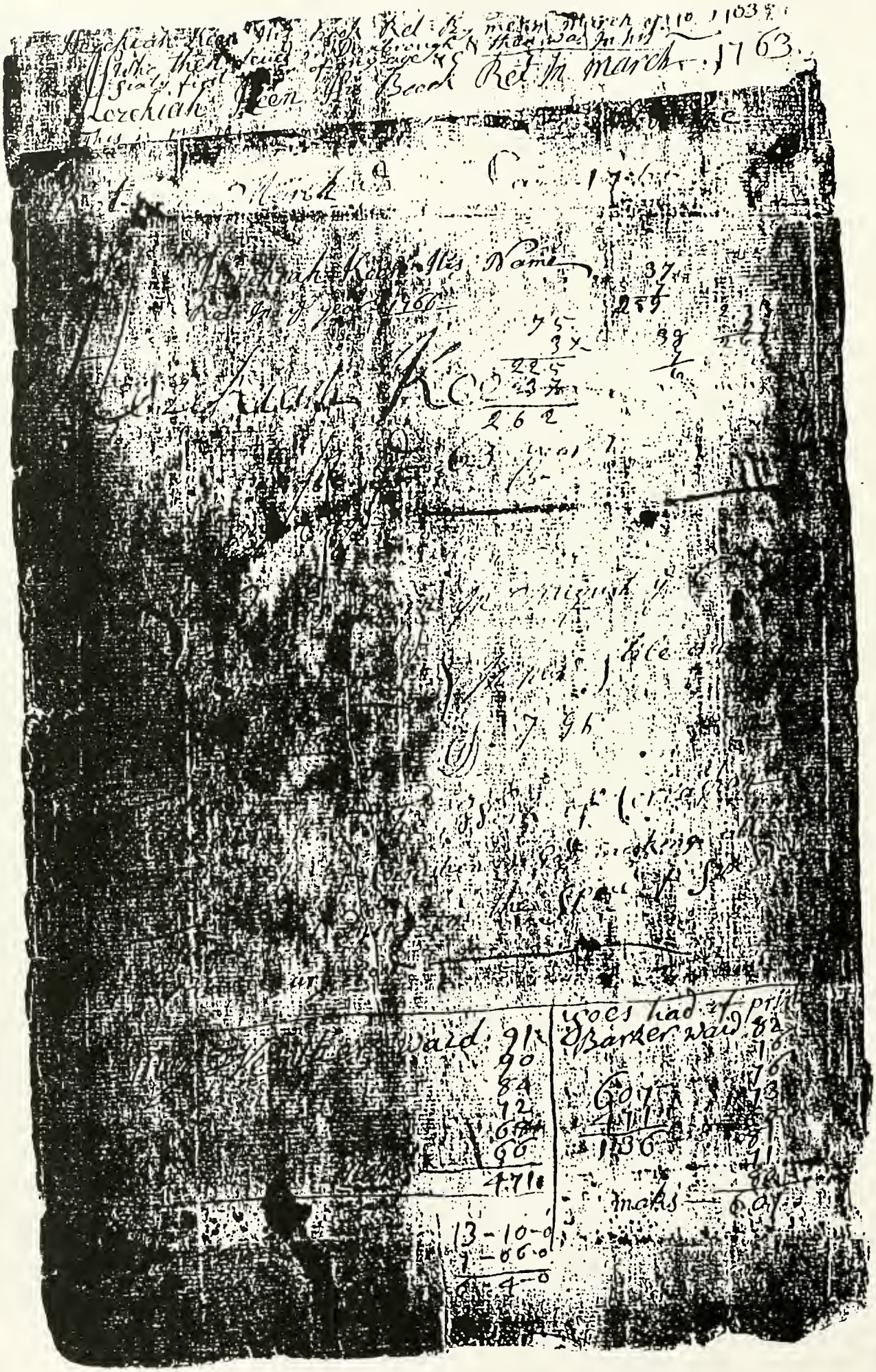
*(p.235 left) The first two entries are in the hand of Hezekiah Keen -- except, of course, the death of his wife, who survived him fifteen years.

*(p.235 left) refers to Bristol, Maine.

*(p.236 right) Words put in parentheses were interlined in the same hand and ink, in the original record.



This was copied from the original account of Hezekiah Keen. The original wood-bound book is kept by the Massachusetts Society of Mayflower Descendants at 376 Boylston Street, Boston, MA 02116 phone (617) 266-1624. Hezekiah Keen's entire account is printed in MD v. 28 pp. 1-6



A Mr and Mrs. Keen
living in London, England,
had three sons. Leaving
in London two of these, the
parents came with the third,
Josiah Keen (Sr), to Boston,
Mass, thence to Hingham, and
thence to Marshfield.

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Josiah Keen (Sr.)

Son of the foregoing named
Mr. and Mrs. Keen

B. in London Eng.
[D. in Marshfield Mass.

Married
Abigil Littel
B.
D.

Residence Marsfield Mass.

Children
Josiah Jr.
A daughter who died young

Married second wife
Hannah Dengly
B.
D.

Children

John	Married	Rebeckah Barker
Mathew	"	Martha Hackfarlane
Ephrim	"	Hannah Stronght
Hannah	"	Isaac Aldon
Elisebeth	"	John Bishop
Abigil	"	Nelsen Bishop
Sarah		Timothy Rogers

Josiah Keen Jr
B cir. 1675
D

Married
Lidia Baker
B
D

Residence

Children
Benjamin
Josiah "who died young"
Abigil
Elener
Ledia
Josiah
Nathanel
Bethiah
Samuel
Isaac
Hezekiah

Paragraph 2.

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Hezekiah (Sr)

B. Aug 6. 1702 (OS)
D. Dec 27. 1770 (OS)
Married
Alice Howland
B. Oct 30. 1709 (OS)
D. Oct 13. 1785
Residence, Duxborough Mass.

Children

Prince	B	Feb 20. 1730	
Charles	"	Jany 24. 1732	D. Bristol July 7. 1807
Mark	"	Mar. 13. 1734	
Robert	"	Dec. 10 1736	"
Alice	—	Jany 4 1739	" Oct 3. 1771
Diana	—	Aug 31. 1741	Mar. 7. 1773
Bethiah	B Dec 14. 1743	D. May 19. 1781	in Bristol Me.
Hezekiah (Jr)	Sept 25. 1746	D. Dec. 8. 1809	in Bristol Me
Daniel	B	Dec. 30. 1748	D. July 23 1827
Mary	"	Feb. 27. 1750	
William	"	May 8. 1753 (N.S.)	" July 16. 1821

Hezekiah Keen was Born (236) in Duxbrough m
ye 0 Day 1702

My Grandfather was Born In London one Lonon Bredg
and he Came out of ngland with his father & mother & left
In London two Brothers Be hind them & my grandfather & grat
Came to Boston In Newengland & from there to Hengham & from
to Dusbury and there my grandfather Josiah Keen maried with
Abigil Little who he had my father & son Keen By & one
Who Died young and my grandmother Died & Left only my father
Josiah Keen who maried with Lidia Baker & they had Eleven
Children whos Nams was Benjamen & Josiah who Died young
Abigail Eleanor Lidia & Josiah Nathanel Bethiah Samuel Ba
and my self who is Hezekiah who was Born 1702

and I maried with Alice Howland and had Eleven Child
By her Prince Charles Mark Robert Alice Dinnie Bet
Hezekiah Danel Mary William

September ye 26 Day 1770 Hezekiah Keen & Alice Keen
~~Then my wife &~~ Then We had all our Children
with us at our house & there was Eleven of them all m
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to Soper to geather & fed on hony

Hezekiah Keen was born in August ye 6 Day 170[illegible]
which was then Caled ~~new~~ the old stile & in ye new
n[illegible] the 17 Day of [illegible] same y[illegible]

Alice Keen Who is the wife of Hezekiah Keen was b[illegible]
In ~~ye~~ october ye 30 in ye year 1709 old stile & [illegible]
the new stile November ye 12 1709
And Departed this life October 13th 1705 !

Hezekiah Keen Deceased Decembeer ye 27 Day
one Thousend Seaven hundred and Seaventy
in the Sixty ninth yeare of his Daye
~~And Departed this life~~ [illegible]

Bristol January the 7 yr 1807
Mark Keen Deceased

Bethiah Keen Deceased May the 19 Day 17[illegible]
In the 7th day off the week the Sun
About Two Ours hie at Night
Who Deceased att Bristol in the
County off Lincoln att Broad
Bay

Bristol December the 8 1809 Hezekia[h]
Deceased

KEEN GENEALOGY G4 PARENTS JOSIAH KEEN jr AND LYDIA BAKER

NATHANIEL KEEN / THANKFUL WINSLOW

b. November 11, 1692
p. Duxbury, MA
d. January 20, 1784
Pembroke, MA

b. February 2, 1696
p. Marshfield, MA
d.
m. Nathaniel Keen in Marshfield, MA on October 27, 1725 (Pembroke VR)

The children of NATHANIEL KEEN and THANKFUL WINSLOW

NATHANIEL KEEN jr
b. September 2, 1726
p. Pembroke, MA (VR)
d. January 20, 1811
Pembroke, MA

JOSHUA KEEN
b. December 13, 1730
p. Pembroke, MA (VR)
d. February 10, 1823
Hebron, ME
m. Abigail Eames 1756

ASA (ASEPH) KEEN
b. November 28, 1732
p. Pembroke, MA (VR)
d. February 6, 1810
Pembroke, MA
m. Abigail Barstow 1791

SNOW KEEN
b. March 7, 1734
p. Pembroke, MA (VR)
d.
m. Rebeckah Burbank of Plymouth Nov. 25, 1756

THANKFUL KEEN
b. December 11, 1737
p. Pembroke, MA (VR)
d.

I have read several reports --"Annals of Oxford" and "Town Register of Oxford, Hebron, Minot" -- that Joshua Keen was accompanied to Maine with Snow Keen, jr. Snow Keen's children are listed in Pembroke's VR as: THANKFULL, b. October 30, 1757, MOLLE (MOLLY), b. October 2, 1761, REBECA, b. August 26, 1763, LYDIA, b. September 28, 1765, LUCE (LUCY), b. July 2, 1767, SNOW, b. January 27, 1770, SNOW, bp. June 30, 1771, CENEA, b. December 18, 1773, and HANNAH, b. October 24, 1777.

It is clear by the reports above that Joshua and Abigail settled in Shepardsfield -- now HEBRON -- Maine in June of 1780 and according to the aforementioned births of Snow Keen's children, the Snow Keen "credited with service in the Revolution" had to be Snow, sr and not jr. I believe that Snow Keen jr would have been too young b. 1771 to have been in the Revolution. The "Annals of Oxford" have recorded Snow's marriage to Sarah Bradford c. 1795 (making him 24) and lists their children. Who accompanied Joshua?

Hezekiah Keen's account states that another daughter was born to Nathaniel and Thankful, "Elethear" who apparently died young.

Joshua and Abigail of Pembroke, Massachusetts, moved to Maine in June of 1780 with their children ranging in ages of 3 years to 22 years. The "Annals of Oxford" seem to mix up Joshua sr with Joshua jr, but it is possible that both father and son served in the Revolution, senior being about 46 and junior being about 18. Read it and form your own opinion. The Sprague Keen mentioned is not Joshua's son as speculated.

Regarding the name "Snow". Joshua's wife, Thankful Winslow was the daughter of Capt. Nathaniel and Lydia (Snow) Winslow. She was Nathaniel Keen's third cousin, granddaughter of Josiah Snow, great-granddaughter of Abigail Warren Keen and great-great grandaughter of Richard Warren -- Mayflower passenger -- who was also Nathaniel's great-great grandfather. In those days, families used family names sometime for their children, thus, "Snow" - "Sprague - etc.

We are following the lineage of JOSHUA KEEN (G5)

THANKFUL WINSLOW

b. February 2, 1696 p. Marshfield, MA

m. Nathaniel Keen on October 27, 1725 in Marshfield, MA (Pembroke VR)

The following information is from the family records
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WINSLOWS AND THEIR DESCENDANTS IN AMERICA
WITH THE ENGLISH ANCESTRY AS FAR AS IS KNOWN

KENELM WINSLOW

p. 96-97

226. CAPT. NATHANIEL [3], [29] Nathaniel [2], Kenelm[1],) b. 29 July 1667, Marshfield, Mass; d. 13 March 1736, M., and was buried there, in the Winslow burying ground. Administration on his estate was granted 30 March, in the year 1736. He resided principally in Marshfield, though certain deeds of land indicate that he was in Shawomet, or Swansey, at least a portion of the time, from "1700 to 1709". [*Rev. Lucius R. Paige, D.D.*]. He was called "Captain" , probably from the fact that he "commanded, early in the last century, the sloop *Seaflower* engaged in freighting oak wood from Careswell Creek to Boston. The price then, at Careswell, was seven shillings per cord. This was consigned to Philip Haskins, Wharfinger, Mr. Bird and Mr. Archer, at an advance of seven shillings per cord. This post of maritime command, we suppose, was as high as the charge of a clipper ship to California is at the present time" [*Memorials of Marshfield*, p. 29]. He m. at Marshfield, by Rev. Samuel Arnold, 1692, according to *Marshfield Rec.*, to Lydia Snow, b.1672, daughter of Josiah and Rebecca (Baker) of Marshfield and gr. dau. of Anthony and Abigail (Warren), who was the youngest dau. of Richard Warren who came in the Mayflower. She d. Apr. 1716, aged 44, acc. to *gravestone*; 8 Apr. 1716, as found in a list of *Deaths and Burials in Marshfield*, communicated by *Miss Marcia A. Thomas in the N.E. Hist.and Gen. Register.* He m. 2d, 17 Feb. 1717-18 Deborah (Barstow) Bryant of Scituate, b. 26 Dec. 1687, dau. of Joseph and Susanna (Lincoln) of S. and widow of John Bryant of S. "Tradition says that she brought her first husband's children with her to Marshfield," and as two of her daughters afterwards married her step-sons it is probably correct. She had also a son John, who removed to Rutland, Vt. Miss Thomas of M. writes, "She was called the white grandma, because of her beauty." She d. 28 Nov. 1778, aged 97, Marshfield. The names and dates of birth of his children were copied from an old Day-book of his, now in possession of Miss Thomas. *Marshfield, Mass.*

His children, born at Marshfield, were:

227. 1. "Our first child" b. 19 Jan. 1693
228. 2. LYDIA, [1231] b. 24 Jan. 1694; d. 1785; m. 10 Dec. 1718, Joseph Thomas
229. 3. THANKFUL, b. 2 Feb. 1696; m. 27 Oct. 1725, *Marshfield Rec.*, Nathaniel Keene of Pembroke.
230. 4. SNOW, [1368] b. 13 May 1698; m. Deborah Bryant; m. 2d, Lydia Crocker.
231. 5. Our little gearl" b. 9 Nov. 1701
232. 6. OLIVER, [1373] b. 24 Nov. 1702; m. Agatha Bryant; m. 2d Bethia Prior
233. 7. NATHANIEL, b. 20 Feb. 1704; d. 27 Jan. 1707 Marshfield
234. 8. DEBORAH, b. 21 Mar. 1708, m. Job Crocker
235. 9. PATIENCE, b. 19 June 1710
236. 10. NATHANIEL, [1382] b. 9 Sept. 1712; d. 19 June 1786; m. Lydia Ford
237. 11. RUTH, b. 30 Dec. 1719; m. Benjamin Barstow, of Hanover, or Pembroke; she had no children, but left her estate to her nephew, Nathaniel Thomas of Marshfield.
238. 12. ABIAH, [1388] b. 4 Dec. 1722; m. 16 July 1741, Dea. Nehemiah Thomas
239. 13. ALLITHIA, b. 4 Nov. 1723; d. 15 May 1724, Marshfield

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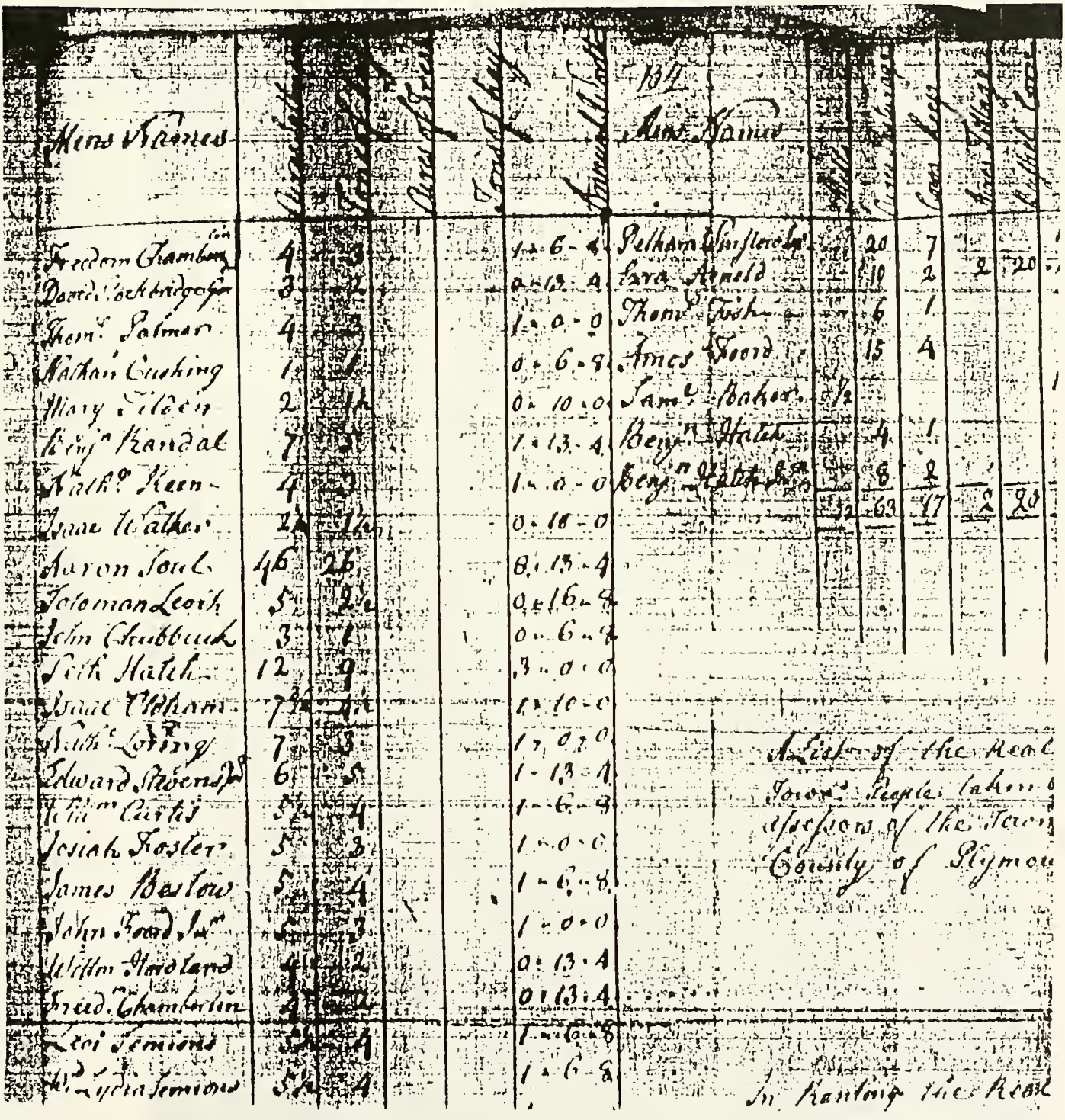
NATHANIEL KEEN listed 7th down on left side of list



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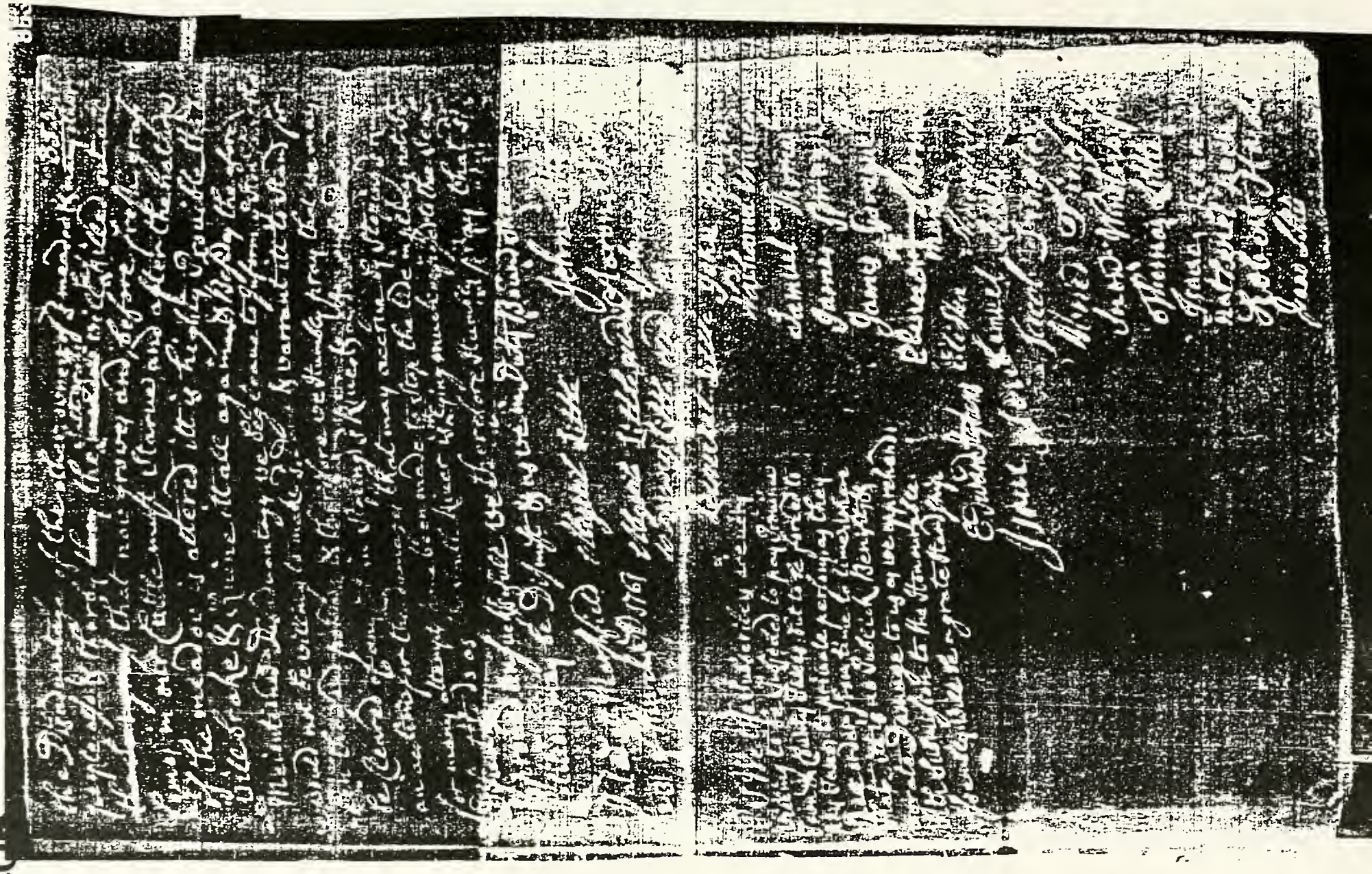
Tax records of Plymouth County of Nathaniel Winslow (3rd from bottom) - bro. of Thankful Winslow -1771



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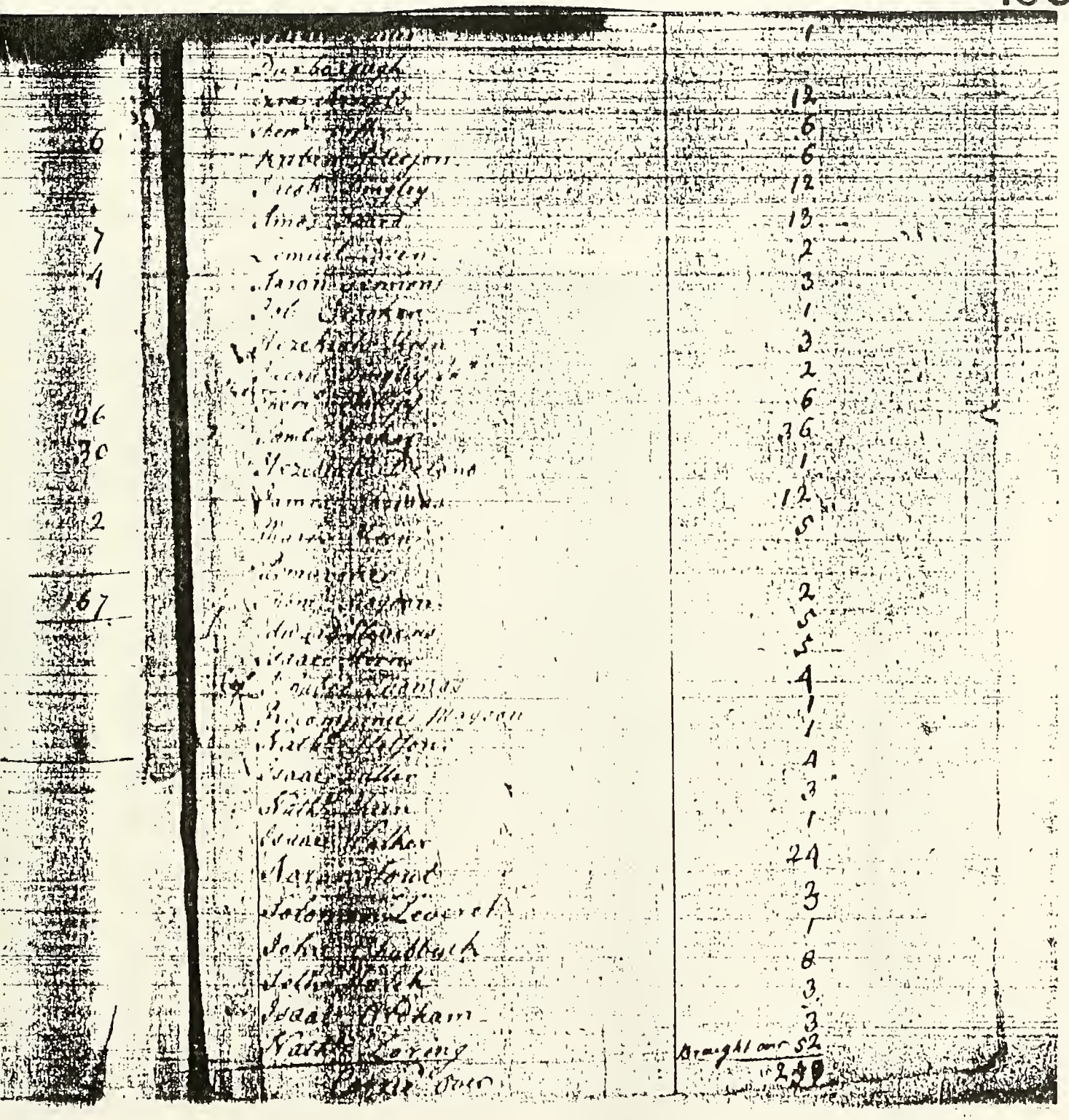

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Tax list of Plymouth County 1770's isting in Duxborough, Hezekiah Keen (Nathaniel's brother) and Mark Keen and in Pembroke, Isaac Keen (Nathaniel's brother) and Nathaniel are listed (8th from bottom)

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Some type of real estate or tax record from Plymouth County in 1770's listing in
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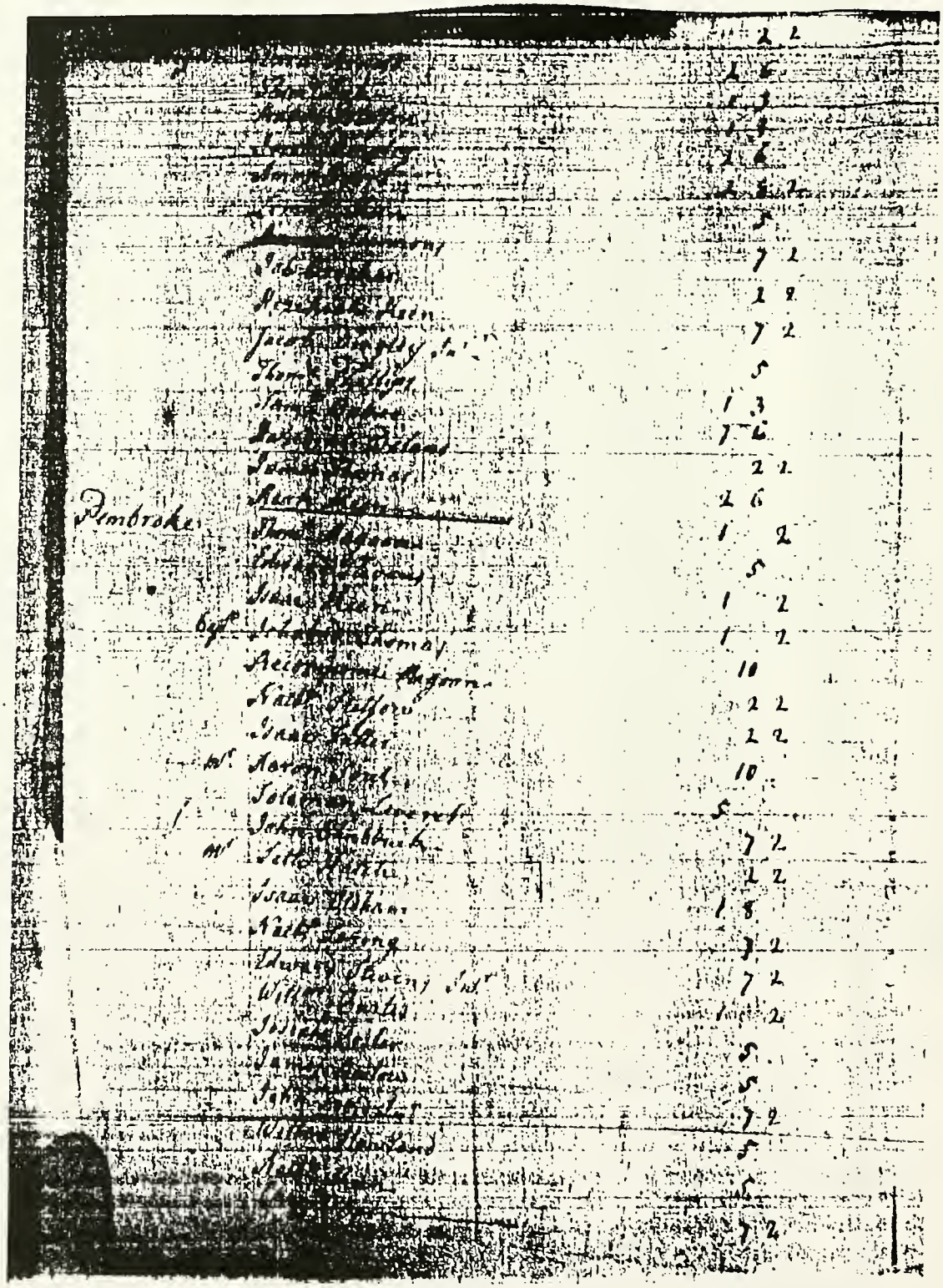

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Tax records of Plymouth County of Nathaniel Winslow (3rd from bottom) - f. of Thankful Winslow -1771

[illegible] of a Tax Assessment made June 27 ... 1771 And Proportioned on the Rateable Polls and Estates Lying in the South side of the North River Constable District toward the Payment of the Province Tax for the year ... 1770

	Polls	Real	Personal
	s. d.	£ s. d. f	£ s. d. f
John Winslow Esqr	3 9	2 3 1 9	1 1 10 2
Nath. Ray Thomas Esqr	7 6	3 6 3	13 6 2
Kenelm Winslow Jr	3 9	1 9 7	10 9 2
Isaac Winslow	3 9	12 6	5
Anthony Thomas Jr		11 5	
Anthony Thomas	11 3	1 11 1	2 3 [illegible]
[illegible] Brown		9 7	5 5
Obadiah Thomas	3 9	5	5 11 2
Jethro Taylor	3 9	3 4	5 2 2
[illegible] Hewet		2 6	1 3
Solomon Hewet	3 9	7 6	10 1 2
Joseph Hewet	3 9	2 6	4 4 2
John Dingley	3 9	9 2	3 4
Ezra Cushman	3 9	2 1	10
Joshua Carver	3 9	9 9 2	5
Kezia Carver			1 5 2
Benja. White	7 6	3 1 2	2 8 2
Willm. Thomas	8 9	12 6	7 3 2
Willm. Thomas Jr	3 9		[illegible]
Nathl. Winslow	3 9	16 3	5 6 2
[illegible] Winslow	3 9	10	
[illegible]			3 [illegible] 2

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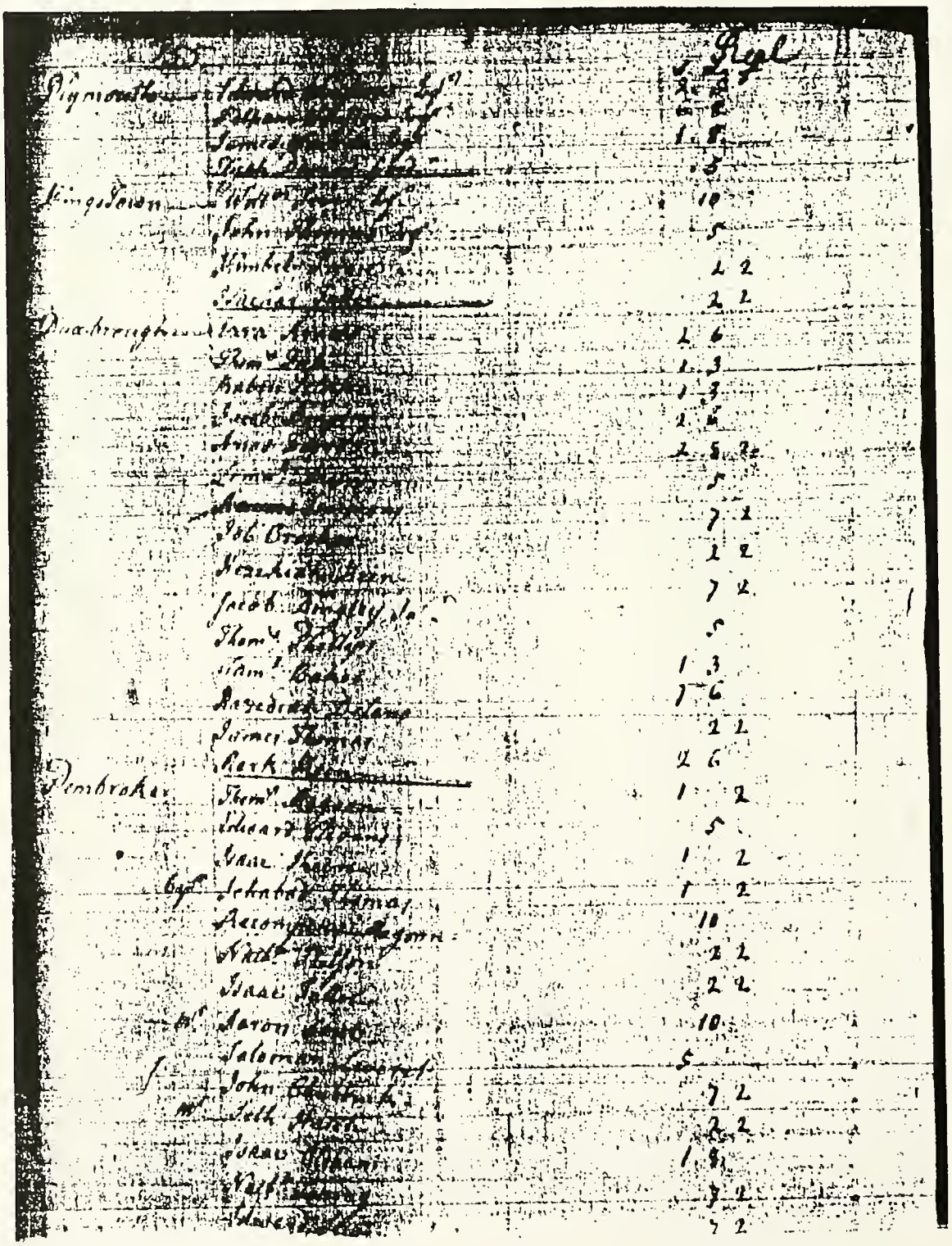

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KEEN, Heabream, [twin] ch. ———, Oct. 23, 1787. P.R.182.
Isaac, s. John and Rebekah, Feb. —, 1696.
Isaac, s. Isaac Jr. and Lydia [(Jones) P.R.44.], Apr. 27, 1736.
Isaac, ch. Isaac Jr., bp. Nov. 5, 1738. C.R.1.
Isaac, ch. Isaac 3d and Anna, Aug. 11, 1777. C.R.4.
Isaac, ch. Daniel and Betsey, May 4, 1815.
Isaiah, s. Samuel and Ruth, Jan. 19, 1732–3. [Kee, ch. Samuel and Ruth (d. William Sprague), P.R.182.]
Isaiah, s. Isaiah and Ruth, Aug. 19, 1761.
Isaiah, ch. Isaiah and Lydia [(Bourn) P.R.122.], Mar. 10, 1801.
Jacob, s. John Jr. and Mary, Nov. 21, 1731.
James, s. Asa and Zilpha, Dec. 30, 1764.
James, s. Asa Jr. and Abigail, May 28, 1797.
James, ch. James and Sally, Sept. 7, 1809.
James, ch. Elisha [and] Rebecca, June 22, 1816. [Keene, G.R.6.] [Keen [h. Lucinda (Winsor)], P.R.27.]
James Sprague, s. Thomas, shoemaker, and Betsey, Oct. 30, 1844. [Keene, ch. Thomas and Betsy G. (Goldthwait), P.R.138.]
Joanna, ch. Galen and Diana, Aug. 24, 1800.
Joanna White, [twin] d. Asher and Hannah, July 11, 1766.
Joanna White, d. Asher, bp. July 27, 1777. C.R.1.
John, s. John and Rebeckah, Apr. 28, 1713.
John, s. John Jr. and Mary, July 16, 1729.
John, Apr. 19, 1782. P.R.182.
John, s. Lem[ue]l Jr. and Mary, Sept. 10, 1787.
John, s. Joseph Jr. and Chloe, Aug. 5, 1812.
John A., ch. Isaiah and Lydia, Sept. 27, 1805. [John Allen Keen, C.R.2.] [Keene, G.R.3.] [John Allen Keen, ch. Isaiah and Lydia (Bourn), P.R.122.]
John White, [twin] s. Asher and Hannah, July 11, 1766.
John White, ch. Asher, bp. June 29, 1777. C.R.1.
Joseafhus, May 18, 1779. P.R. 182.
Joseph, ch. Joseph and Rebeccah, Sept. 1, 1771. C.R.4.
Joseph, ch. Joseph Jr. and Chloe, Jan. 26, 1800.
Josephus (see Joseafhus).
Joshua, s. Nathaniel and Thankfull, Dec. 13, 1730.
Joshua, s. Joshua and Abigal, June 23, 1758.
Joshua, ch. Joshua and Abigail, bp. Aug. 22, 1762. C.R.1.
Josiah, s. John and Rebekah, Oct. 19, 1713.
Josiah, s. Josiah Jr. and Rebekah, Feb. 20, 1722.
Josiah, s. Joshua, bp. June 17, 1764.* C.R.1.
Josiah, ch. Isaac 3d and Anna, Sept. 20, 1781. C.R.4.
Jubal, s. Francis, bp. Nov. — [1756]. C.R.1.

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KEEN, Joseph Jr. and Chloe Wing of Hanover, Jan. 8, 1795, in Hanover.*
Joshua Jr. and Lydia Crooker Jr., July 13, 1780.*
Lemuel and Mary Josselyn, Jan. 22, 1784.*
Lem[ue]l and Lucy Joyce of Marshfield, June 7, 1812.* [int. Apr. 20, P.R.2.]
Levi and Eunice Jennings, Feb. 19, 1746–7.*
Lot and Joanna Sprague of Marshfield, Aug. 17, 1769, in Marshfield.* [Keene, P.R.44.]
Lot and Mrs. Hannah Keen, Dec. 18, 1817.* [int. Dec. 2, P.R.2.]
Lydia and Georg Partridg, Mar. 18, 1712–13.*
Lydia B. and Nathaniel T. Lewis, Dec. 1 [1833].*
Marcy and Nath[anie]ll Magoun, May 16, 1785.*
Margaret and Solomon Leavit, Aug. 31, 1756.*
Mary and Robert Macklathlen, Oct. 13, 1763.* [McLathlin, P.R.191.]
Mary, d. Joseph and Rebekah, and Abraham Booth Rogers, s. John and Sarah of Marshfield, Dec. 1, 1791.* C.R.4.
Mary and Moses Jones of Abington, Jan. 13, 1814.* [int. Sept. 23, 1813. P.R.2.]
Mercy (see Marcy).
Mercy and Peleg Samson, Aug. 11 [1822].*
Molle Swan and Perrey Harden, July 25, 1779.* [Moll Swan Keen and Perry Harden, P.R.191.]
Nathaniel and Thankful Winslow of Marshfield, Oct. 27, 1725, in Marshfield.*
Nathaniel and Margery Oldham, Jan. 29 [1832].*
Oren of Hanson, s. Eben[eze]r and w., and Hannah B. Ramsdell, d. David dec'd and w., int. Aug. 6, 1848.
Patience and Elisha Hatch of Scituate, Oct. 30, 1718.*
Peggey and Sam[ue]ll Rider, June 19, 1774.* [Peggy and Sam[ue]l Rider. P.R.101.]
Polly and Joseph Eastes, Oct. 28, 1800.*
Prince of Duxborough, and Elisabeth Foord, Mar. 7, 1758.* [Elizabeth Ford. P.R.191.]
Rebecca 3d and Charles Josslyen, July 10, 1760.* [Rebec 3d and Charles Josselyn. P.R.191.]
Rebecca and William Doll of Boston, Jan. 21, 1791.*
Rebecca and Gridley Studley of Hanover, July 11, 1820.*
Rebeckah and Lot Thatcher of Barnstable, Sept. 29, 1730.*
Ruth and John Leavitt, Oct. 25, 1759.*
Ruth Sprague and Cyrus White, Aug. 10, 1806.*
Sam[ue]l and Margaret Redding of Situate, Jan. 4, 1737.*

* Intention not recorded.

A TRUE COPY ATTEST:

Donna M. Pratt

PEMBROKE TOWN CLERK

DATE December 23, 1991

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The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

Town of Pembroke

OFFICE OF THE TOWN CLERK

ABSTRACT OF RECORD

I, the undersigned, hereby certify that I am the Town Clerk of the Town of Pembroke, that as such I have the custody of the records of births, marriages, and deaths required by law to be kept in my office, and from said records it appears that

Joshua Keen, son of Nathaniel and Thankfull Keen, was born at Pembroke,

Massachusetts on December 13, 1730.

And I do hereby certify that the foregoing is a true abstract from said records.

Witness my hand and the SEAL of the TOWN of PEMBROKE

at Pembroke on this 4th day of

June 1965

Town Clerk

JOSHUA KEEN / ABIGAIL EAMES

b. December 13, 1730
p. Pembroke, MA (VR)
d. February 10, 1823
buried Old Cemetery,
Hebron, ME

b. November 15, 1736
p. Framingham, MA (?)
d. October 25, 1823
buried Old Cemetery,
Hebron, ME
m. Joshua Keen in Pembroke, MA
December 14, 1756
f. Thomas Eames (?)

THE CHILDREN OF JOSHUA KEEN AND ABIGAIL EAMES

JOSHUA KEEN jr
b. June 23, 1758
p. Pembroke, MA (VR)
d. December 19, 1818
buried Highland
Cem. Poland, ME
m. Lydia Crooker

ABIGAIL KEEN
b. bp. August 22, 1762
p. Pembroke, MA (VR)
d.
m. Asa Thurlow April 1,
1784 Hebron, ME

JOSIAH KEEN
b. bp. June 17, 1764
p. Pembroke, MA (VR)
d.

BETHIER KEEN
b. bp. August 24, 1766
p. Pembroke, MA (VR)
d.
m. Edmond Irish

THANKFUL KEEN
b. c. 1768
p. Pembroke, MA
d.
m. Jeremiah Hodgdon
1785

SALLEE KEEN
b. bp. May 27, 1770
p. Pembroke, MA (VR)
d.

RUTH KEEN
b. bp. July 12, 1772
p. Pembroke, MA (VR)
d.
m. Stephen Thurlow

MERCEY KEEN
b. bp. July 11, 1773
p. Pembroke, MA (VR)
d.
m. Rev. Daniel
Hutchinson

HANNAH KEEN
b. c. 1775
p. Pembroke, MA
d.
m. John Cox
December 1, 1801

NATHANIEL KEEN
b. August 3, 1777
p. Pembroke, MA (VR)
d.
m. Lydia Hutchinson
December 12, 1802
Hebron, ME

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the "ANNALS OF OXFORD" and the "Town Register of Oxford, Hebron and Minot" list the arrival of Joshua and Abigail to Shepardsfield, ME (later HEBRON). The records indicate that he came with Snow Keen (see G4) The town register indicates that Joshua Keen, Joshua Keen jr, Nathaniel Keen and Sprague Keen all served in the Continental Army.

The Annals of Oxford lists Joshua Keen as one of the first settlers of Hebron, Maine. These records also indicate both Joshuas as landholders. The first U.S. census (1790) lists Joshua Keen with four males and six females in the household. Snow Keen, in the same census, lists 2 males and eight females in the household. The census included heads of families in the total. Now in G4 I listed Snow Keen's children (7 females and 1 male), adding Snow, Sr. and his wife Rebeckah, you get the number in the census. Ergo! Snow Keen, Joshua's brother, was the Snow Keen that accompanied him to Maine with their children. In the 1800 Maine census, Joshua and Joshua jr and Snow Keen and Snow Keen jr are listed as heads of households in the Cumberland county census. The 1810 Maine census lists Joshua living in Turner in Oxford county and Joshua jr living in Poland in Cumberland county. Joshua Keen is listed twice in the 1820 Maine census, both living in Hebron in Oxford county. This has to be Joshua sr and his grandson, Joshua III since Joshua jr died in 1818. (continued - reverse page)

KEEN GENEALOGY G5 (continued) JOSHUA AND ABIGAIL KEEN

However, the 1820 Maine census lists Seth Keen (one of our grandfathers) living in Middleboro in Plymouth county. The 1830 census lists him as living in Oxford in Oxford county and Joshua III also living in Oxford. By this time, both Joshuas in our lineage have died, sr in 1823 and jr in 1818. The 1840 Maine census lists Seth and Seth jr both living in Oxford in Oxford county. The 1850 Maine census lists only one Seth Keen living in Poland in Cumberland county. Seth Keen sr died in 1841.

The Massachusetts and Maine census' for the years 1790-1850 proved very helpful in sorting out some of the questions that might arise. The genealogy sheets are much more accurate because of the census records.

We are following the lineage of JOSHUA KEEN jr (G6)

The following letter which was in the possession of a Lizzie H. Marshall of Hebron (Maine) which Elsie Keene of Poland, Maine copied learning of the letter at a Keene reunion. Elsie speaks of writing to Seth Keen of Harrison, Maine after reading in the paper (Portland?) about him celebrating his 90th birthday. This would have to have been about 1905 as he died in 1907. She speaks of Lindbergh's feat of crossing the Atlantic "three years ago", so she must have written the narrative in 1930. A copy of her research is in the Augusta, Maine State Library and the Portland, Maine Historical Library.

Now, back to the letter written by Joshua Keen --

BRISTOL CAMPS, FEBRUARY 4, 1777

"Loving wife,

These few lines are to inform you that I and my son is well, and thanks be to God for it. Hoping that these few lines may throw the blessing of God upon you. I enjoyed the same. I have nothing of mark to write to you. Hoping in a short time that instead of writing I shall be able to inform you with my tung and not my writing. I must inform you that I would have you send to Captain Winslow by Capt. Ford for the money that is due to Joshua, and take this order and give to Capt. Ford and by that he will get the money. Asa my brother hurt himself about a week gone but has got better. Remember me to all enquiring friends. Joshua desires to be remembered to you and all his friends. It is a general time of health in the Camp, and so to conclude I must subscribe myself your friend and loving husband until death makes a final separation.

Joshua Keen"

The War Department in Washington advised Elsie Keene "the records show that one Joshua Keen , rank not stated, served in the Revolutionary War, in Capt. Increase Robinson's company Massachusetts militia. His name appears on the receipt roll dated Pembroke, April 27, 1777, under the holding, ' We, the subscribers have severally received of Capt. Increase Robinson the whole of our wages bourne on his Bay Roll for the campaign to Bristol in Rhode Island in 1776, as witness our hands'", etc. From this we may deduce that the Bristol Camps were in Rhode Island. The son he speaks of is Joshua jr who also served in the Revolutionary War.

Robert R. Keen Dayton, Ohio 1991

CERTIFICATION OF VITAL RECORD

STATE OF MAINE

Hebron, Maine

The following information is found in Book 1700-1800 on Page 281.

Family Name: Keen

Name of Child: Joshua

Date of Death: February 10, 1823

Place of Event: Hebron, Maine

This record appears in sequence with other vital records and was recorded by the town clerk whose handwriting and signature appear in other town records.

I HEREBY CERTIFY THAT THE FOREGOING IS A TRUE COPY OF A CERTIFICATE OR RECORD WHICH IS IN MY OFFICIAL CUSTODY.

ATTEST: Joan E Clough STATE REGISTRAR/MUNICIPAL CLERK

DATE ISSUED: 1/30/92 TOWN OF: Hebron

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CERTIFICATION OF VITAL RECORD

STATE OF MAINE

Hebron, Maine

The following information is found in Book 1700-1800 on Page 281.

Family Name: Keen

Name: Abigail Keen

Date of Death: October 25, 1823

Place of Event: Hebron, Maine

This record appears in sequence with other vital records and was recorded by the town clerk whose handwriting and signature appear in other town records.

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THE KEEN NAMES APPEAR ON PAGES 14-20
IN THIS PUBLICATION
NOTE: JOSHUA (FATHER AND SON ARE MENTIONED)

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KEEN, ASA, Pembroke. Private, Capt. Thomas Turner's co. of militia, Col. Anthony Thomas's regt., which marched April 20, 1775, in response to the alarm of April 19, 1775; service, 3 days; *also*, Capt. Freedom Chamberlin's co.; marched March 6, 1776; service, 5 days; company marched on the alarm of March 5, 1776, at the time of taking Dorchester Heights; *also*, Corporal, Capt. John Turner's co., Col. John Jacobs's regt.; enlisted July 24, 1780; discharged Oct. 29, 1780; service, 3 mos. 6 days; regiment detached from militia to reinforce Continental Army at Rhode Island for 3 months.

KEEN, BENJAMIN, Middleborough. Private, Capt. Amos Wade's co., Col. Theophilus Cotton's regt.; muster roll dated Aug. 1, 1775; enlisted May 9, 1775; service, 2 mos. 27 days; *also*, company return dated Oct. 7, 1775; *also*, Capt. Joshua White's co., Col. Ebenezer Sprout's regt.; marched Dec. 8, 1776; service, 12 days; company marched to Howland's Ferry, R. I., on an alarm; *also*, list of men mustered between Aug. 18, 1777, and Sept. 10, 1777, by James Hatch, Muster Master for Plymouth Co.; Col. Robinson's regt.; enlisted by Capt. Cole; *also*, Private, Capt. Joseph Cole's co., Col. Robinson's regt.; enlisted July 12, 1777; service, 5 mos. 19 days, at Rhode Island.

KEEN, EBENEZER, Abington. Private, Capt. Eleazer Hambden's co., Gen. John Thomas's regt.; muster roll dated Aug. 1, 1775; enlisted May 1, 1775; service, 3 mos., 1 week, 1 day; *also*, company return [probably Oct., 1775]; reported discharged Sept. 24, 1775.

KEEN, EBENEZER. Private, Capt. Thomas Crandon's co., Col. John Hathaway's regt.; enlisted Aug. 2, 1780; discharged Aug. 8, 1780; service, 6 days, on an alarm at Rhode Island.

KEEN, EPHRAIM, Dartmouth. Private, Capt. Benjamin Dillingham's co.; enlisted April 16, 1776; service, 7 mos. 19 days; company stationed at Dartmouth for

KEEN, EPHRAIM, *continued.*
defence of seacoast; *also*, list of men mustered between April 21, 1777, and May 7, 1777, by James Hatch, Muster Master for Plymouth Co.; age, 17 yrs.; residence, Dartmouth; enlisted by Capt. Wadsworth; enlistment, 3 years; *also*, Private, Capt. Joseph Wadsworth's (2d) co., Col. Gamaliel Bradford's regt.; Continental Army pay accounts for service from May 1, 1777, to March 5, 1778; reported deceased; *also*, same co. and regt.; subsistence allowed from date of enlistment, May 1, 1777; credited with 10 days allowance; roll dated Boston; *also*, same co. and regt.; return dated Valley Forge, Jan. 28, 1778; residence, Dartmouth; enlisted for town of Dartmouth; mustered by Continental Muster Master; *also*, same co. and regt.; return of men who were in camp on or before Aug. 15, 1777, dated Feb. 17, 1779; reported died March 5, 1778.

KEEN, FRANCIS, Pembroke. Private, Capt. Thomas Turner's co. of militia, Col. Anthony Thomas's regt., which marched April 20, 1775, in response to the alarm of April 19, 1775; service, 3 days; *also*, order on David Jeffries, Paymaster, payable to Capt. Turner, dated Camp at Hull, June 29, 1776, signed by said Keen and others belonging to Capt. Thomas Turner's co., for advance pay for 1 month, etc.; *also*, Private, Capt. Thomas Turner's co., Col. Thomas Marshall's regt.; enlisted June 21, 1776; service to Aug. 1, 1776, 41 days, travel (4 days) included; *also*, same co. and regt.; service between Aug. 1, 1776, and Nov. 1, 1776, 2 mos. 4 days; *also*, Capt. John Turner's co., Col. Theophilus Cotton's regt.; marched Sept. 28, 1777; service, 1 mo. 3 days; company marched to Rhode Island; *also*, Capt. John Turner's co., Col. Eleazer Brooks's regt. of guards; joined Nov. 6, 1777; service to Feb. 3, 1778, 2 mos. 27 days, at Cambridge; *also*, same co. and regt.; service between Feb. 3, 1778, and April 3, 1778, 7 days, at Cambridge.

KEEN, HEZEKIAH, Pembroke. Private, Capt. John Turner's co., Col. Theophilus Cotton's regt.; marched Sept. 28, 1777; service, 1 mo. 3 days; company marched to Rhode Island; *also*, Capt. Joseph Clift's co., Col. Josiah Whitney's regt.; marched July 29, 1778; discharged Sept. 13, 1778; service, 1 mo. 19 days; company raised in Plymouth Co. and marched to Rhode Island.

KEEN, ISAAC, Duxbury. Private, Capt. Benjamin Wadsworth's (2d Duxbury) co. of militia, Col. James Warren's (Plymouth Co.) regt., which marched on the alarm of April 19, 1775; service, 3 days; *also*, 2d Duxbury co. commanded by Lieut. Nathan Samson, Col. Thomas Lothrop's regt.; marched Dec. 10, 1776; service, 15 days; company marched to Bristol, R. I., on an alarm.

KEEN, ISAAC, Pembroke. Private, Capt. Thomas Turner's co. of militia, Col. Anthony Thomas's regt., which marched April 20, 1775, in response to the alarm of April 19, 1775; service, 3 days; *also*, Capt. Freedom Chamberlin's co.; marched March 5, 1776; service, 5 days; company marched on the alarm of March 5, 1776, at the time of taking Dorchester Heights.

KEEN, ISAAC. Private, Col. Benjamin Tupper's (10th) regt.; service from March 12, 1781, 21 mos. 19 days; *also*, Capt. Ebenezer Smith's co., Lieut. Col. Calvin Smith's (6th) regt.; return for wages for the year 1782; said Keen allowed wages for 1 mo.; reported transferred from 10th Mass. regt.

KEEN, ISAIAH, Pembroke. Fifer, Capt. John Turner's co., Col. Theophilus Cotton's regt.; marched Sept. 28, 1777; service, 1 mo. 3 days; company marched to Rhode Island; *also*, Capt. Calvin Partridge's co., Lieut. Col. Samuel Pierce's regt.; marched May 21, 1779; service, 1 mo. 14 days; company raised in Plymouth Co. and stationed at Little Compton, R. I.; *also*, Capt. John Turner's co., Col. John Jacobs's regt.; enlisted July 21, 1780; discharged Oct. 30, 1780; service, 3 mos. 6 days; regiment detached from militia to reinforce Continental Army at Rhode Island for 3 months; *also*, return dated Pembroke, April 1, 1782, made by the Selectmen, of bounties paid said Keen and others to serve in the Continental Army for the term of 3 years or during the war, agreeable to resolve of Dec. 2, 1780.

KEEN, ISAIAH. Private, Capt. Abram Washburn's co., Col. Jacob Gerrish's regt.; muster roll dated Boston, Aug. 11, 1778; enlistment, 6 months, to expire Jan. 1, 1779; *also*, same co. and regt.; enlisted July 27, 1778; discharged Dec. 21, 1778; service, 4 mos. 25 days, at and about Boston.

KEEN, ISAIAH. Private, Capt. Amos Lincoln's co. of matrosses; service between date of enlistment, July 14, 1781, and Nov. 1, 1782, 14 mos. 18 days; reported as having been absent 1 month; also reported as among rejected recruits detailed for garrison duty.

KEEN, JACOB. Private, Capt. Philip M. Ulmer's co., Col. Samuel McCobb's regt.; service from July 8, 1779, to Sept. 24, 1779, 2 mos. 16 days, on Penobscot expedition.

KEEN, JACOB. Private, Lieut. Alexander Kelloch's co.; service, 2 mos.; company detached from Col. Wheaton's and Col. Jones's regts., by order of Brig. Cushing, to protect eastern part of Lincoln Co., and stationed at Camden and St. Georges from Nov. 13, 1779, to Feb. 13, 1780.

KEEN, JACOB. Private, Capt. Joseph Soper's co., Col. Theophilus Cotten's (Plymouth Co.) regt.; enlisted March 5, 1781; discharged March 20, 1781; service, 15 days, on a 40 days expedition to Rhode Island.

KEEN, JACOB, Jr. Private, Lieut. Alexander Kelloch's co.; service, 2 mos.; company detached from Col. Wheaton's and Col. Jones's regts., by order of Brig. Cushing, to protect eastern part of Lincoln Co., and stationed at Camden and St. Georges from Nov. 13, 1779, to Feb. 13, 1780.

KEEN, JAMES, Pembroke. Private, Capt. Thomas Turner's co. of militia, Col. Anthony Thomas's regt., which marched April 20, 1775, in response to the alarm of April 19, 1775; service, 3 days; *also*, Capt. Freedom Chamberlain's co., Gen. John Thomas's regt.; muster roll dated Aug. 1, 1775; enlisted May 3, 1775; service, 3 mos. 6 days; *also*, company return dated Camp at Roxbury, Oct. 6, 1775; *also*, order for bounty coat or its equivalent in money dated Camp at Roxbury, Nov. 9, 1775; *also*, return dated July 26, 1777, of men mustered for Col. Robinson's regt. by James Hatch, Muster Master for Plymouth Co., to serve in the New England states until Jan. 1, 1778; enlisted by Capt. Cole; *also*, Private, Capt. Joseph Cole's co., Col. Robinson's regt.; enlisted July 11, 1777; service, 5 mos. 20 days, at Rhode Island; *also*, Capt. Calvin Partridge's co., Col. Josiah Whitney's regt.; marched July 30, 1778; discharged Sept. 13, 1778; service, 1 mo. 15 days, at Rhode Island; company raised in Plymouth Co.; *also*, Capt. John Turner's co., Col. John Jacobs's regt.; enlisted July 21, 1780; discharged Oct. 29, 1780; service, 3 mos. 6 days; regiment detached from militia to reinforce Continental Army at Rhode Island for 3 months.

KEEN, JESSE, Freetown (also given Dartmouth). Private, Capt. Levi Rounsewell's co. of Minute-men, which marched on the alarm of April 19, 1775; service, 3 days; roll dated Roxbury Camp; *also*, Capt. Levi Rounsevel's co., Col. David Brewer's (9th) regt.; muster roll dated Aug. 1, 1775; enlisted May 5, 1775; service, 3 mos. 4 days; *also*, company return dated Roxbury, Oct. 7, 1775; *also*, Capt. Levi Rounsevell's co., Col. Rufus Putnam's (late Brewer's) regt.; order for bounty coat or its equivalent in money dated Camp at Roxbury, Nov. 8, 1775; *also*, list of men who marched from Dartmouth to camp under command of Capt. Benjamin Dillingham, and arrived there Feb. 15, 1776; *also*, Sergeant, Capt. Thomas Crandon's co., Col. John Hathaway's regt.; entered service Aug. 2, 1780; discharged Aug. 8, 1780; service, 6 days, on an alarm at Rhode Island.

KEEN, JOB. Private, Capt. Benjamin Lawrance's co., Col. George Williams's regt.; service, 1 mo., on a secret expedition to Rhode Island in 1777; *also*, Capt. Benjamin Read's (Freetown) co., Col. John Hathaway's regt.; enlisted July 29, 1780; discharged Aug. 7, 1780; service, 10 days; company marched to Rhode Island on an alarm.

KEEN, JOHN, Old York. List of men mustered by James Hatch, Muster Master for Plymouth Co., dated June 8, 1778; Col. Henry Jackson's regt.; age, 22 yrs.; residence, Old York; enlisted by Capt. Langdon; enlistment, 3 years.

KEEN, JOHN, Rochester. Private, Capt. Nathaniel Hammond's (2d Rochester) co. of militia, which marched April 20, 1775, in response to the alarm of April 19, 1775, to Marshfield; service, 4 days.

KEEN, JOHN, Salem. Descriptive list of officers and crew of the ship "Jack" (privateer), commanded by Capt. Nathan Brown, sworn to July 1, 1780; age, 26 yrs.; stature, 5 ft. 4 in.; complexion, dark; residence, Salem.

KEEN, JOHN, Taunton. Private, Capt. Joshua Wilbore's co., Col. Ebenezer Francis's regt.; pay abstract for travel allowance from camp home, etc.; said Keen credited with allowance for 2 days (36 miles); company drafted from Taunton, Raynham, Easton, Dartmouth, Freetown, Berkley, and Dighton; warrant allowed in Council Nov. 29, 1776.

KEEN, JOHN. Private, Capt. Samuel Briggs's co., 4th Plymouth Co. regt. commanded by Lieut. Col. White; enlisted July 30, 1780; discharged Aug. 8, 1780; service, 9 days, at Rhode Island on an alarm. Roll dated Rochester.

KEEN, JOSEPH, Middleborough. Private, Capt. David Cowden's co., Col. Benjamin Ruggles Woodbridge's (25th) regt.; muster roll dated Aug. 1, 1775; enlisted June 15, 1775; service, 1 mo. 19 days; *also*, company return dated near Prospect Hill, Sept. 28, 1775; *also*, order for bounty coat or its equivalent in money dated Prospect Hill, Nov. 13, 1775; *also*, Private, Capt. William Tupper's co., Col. Titcomb's regt.; service, 65 days in April, May, and June, 1777, under Maj. Gen. Spencer on expedition to Rhode Island.

KEEN, JOSHUA, Pembroke. Private, Capt. Thomas Turner's co. of militia, Col. Anthony Thomas's regt., which marched April 20, 1775, in response to the alarm of April 19, 1775; service, 3 days.

KEEN, JOSHUA, Pembroke. Private, Capt. John Turner's co., Col. Theophilus Cotton's regt.; marched Sept. 28, 1777; service, 1 mo. 3 days; company marched to Rhode Island.

KEEN, JOSHUA, Scituate. Capt. Nathaniel Winslow's co., Col. Josiah Whitney's regt.; company receipt for advance pay for 1 month, travel allowance from home to Boston, etc., dated Point Shirley, June 13, 1776; *also*, Private, same co. and regt.; service from May 15, 1776, 4 days preceding march, to Aug. 1, 1776; *also*, petition dated Camp at Hull, Sept. 17, 1776, signed by said Keen and others belonging to battalion stationed at Hull, asking for increase and payment of wages; *also*, Private, Capt. Nathaniel Winslow's co., Col. Josiah Whitney's regt.; service from Aug. 1, 1776, to Nov. 1, 1776, 3 mos.; *also*, same co. and regt.; pay roll for Nov., 1776; service, 1 mo. 2 days.

KEEN, JOSHUA. 2d Lieutenant, Capt. John Foord's 11th (Pembroke) co., 2d Plymouth Co. regt. of Mass. militia; list of officers chosen by the several companies in said regiment, dated Hanover, May 8, 1776; ordered in Council May 10, 1776, that said officers be commissioned; reported commissioned May 10, 1776; *also*, 2d Lieutenant, Lieut. Increase Robison's (Robinson's) co., Lieut. Col. Jeremiah Hall's regt.; list of officers appointed to command companies of a regiment raised from Brig. Joseph Cushing's (Plymouth Co.) brigade, and ordered to march to Bristol, R. I., as returned by Joseph Cushing to Maj. Gen. Warren, dated Hanover, Dec. 26, 1776; company raised in Pembroke, part of Bridgewater, and Abington.

KEEN, JOSHUA. Private, Capt. Calvin Partridge's co., Col. Josiah Whitney's regt.; marched July 30, 1778; discharged Sept. 13, 1778; service, 1 mo. 15 days, at Rhode Island; company raised in Plymouth Co.

KEEN, JOSHUA. Private, Capt. Calvin Curtis's co.; enlisted Sept. 30, 1779; discharged Dec. 1, 1779; service, 2 mos. 1 day (also given 2 mos. 5 days), at Rhode Island; mileage (120 miles) to and from camp allowed; company made up from 1st and 2d Plymouth Co. regts. to serve in Col. John Jacobs's regt. for 2 months from the time of their arrival at camp.

KEEN, JOSIAH. Descriptive list of men raised in Plymouth Co. in 1779 to serve in the Continental Army; age, 19 yrs.; stature, 5 ft. 6 in.; complexion, light; engaged for town of Pembroke; delivered to Lieut. S. Benjamin; *also*, Private, Major's co., Col. Bradford's (11th) regt.; entered service Aug. 4, 1779; discharged April 4, 1780; term, 9 months.

KEEN, LEMUEL, Duxbury. Private, Capt. Benjamin Wadsworth's (2d Duxbury) co. of militia, Col. James Warren's (Plymouth Co.) regt., which marched on the alarm of April 19, 1775; service, 3 days; *also*, 2d Duxbury co. commanded by Lieut. Nathan Samson, Col. Thomas Lothrop's regt.; marched Dec. 10, 1776; service, 15 days; company marched to Bristol, R. I., on an alarm; *also*, Capt. Calvin Partridge's co., Col. Josiah Whitney's regt.; marched July 30, 1778; discharged Sept. 13, 1778; service, 1 mo. 15 days, at Rhode Island; company raised in Plymouth Co.

KEEN, LEMUEL, Pembroke. Private, Capt. John Turner's co., Col. Theophilus Cotton's regt.; marched Sept. 28, 1777; service, 1 mo. 3 days; company marched to Rhode Island; *also*, Capt. John Turner's co., Col. John Jacobs's regt.; enlisted Aug. 7, 1780; discharged Oct. 30, 1780; service, 2 mos. 21 days; regiment detached from militia to reinforce Continental Army at Rhode Island for 3 months.

KEEN, MARK, Duxbury. Return of men raised to serve in the Continental Army from Capt. Calvin Partridge's (2d) co., Col. Theophilus Cotton's regt.; residence, Duxbury; engaged for town of Duxbury; reported drafted Feb. 23, 1778, for 8 months; term to expire Oct. 23, 1778; *also*, list of men mustered by James Hatch, Muster Master for Plymouth Co., dated April 1, 1778.

KEEN, MESHACH, Pembroke. Private, Capt. Freedom Chamberlain's co., Gen. John Thomas's regt.; muster roll dated Aug. 1, 1775; enlisted May 3, 1775; service, 3 mos. 6 days; *also*, company return dated Roxbury Camp, Oct. 6, 1775; *also*, order for bounty coat or its equivalent in money dated Camp at Roxbury, Nov. 9, 1775; *also*, Private, Capt. Amos Turner's co., Col. Titcomb's regt.; service from April –, 1777, to the middle of June, 1777, 2 mos. 6 (also given 2 mos. 7) days, including travel (120 miles) out and home; company detached from militia and marched to Tiverton, R. I.; *also*, list of men mustered by James Hatch, Muster Master for Plymouth Co., to serve until Jan. 1, 1778, or during the war, endorsed "July –, 1777;" Col. Robinson's regt.; enlisted by Capt. Stowers; *also*, Corporal, Capt. Seth Stowers's co., Col. J. Robinson's regt.; enlisted July 1, 1777; service, 6 mos., at Rhode Island; *also*, descriptive list of men raised in Plymouth Co. for the term of 9 months from the time of their arrival at Fishkill, agreeable to resolve of April 20, 1778; Capt. Bonney's co., Col. Cushing's regt.; age, 19 yrs.; stature, 5 ft. 11 in.; complexion, light; residence, Pembroke; arrived at Fishkill June 10, 1778; *also*, list of men returned as received of Jonathan Warner, Commissioner, by Col. R. Putnam July 20, 1778; engaged for town of Pembroke; *also*, Private, Capt. John Turner's co., Col. John Jacobs's regt.; enlisted Sept. 4, 1780; discharged Oct. 30, 1780; service, 1 mo. 27 days; regiment detached from militia to reinforce Continental Army at Rhode Island for 3 months.

KEEN, PELEG. Private, Capt. Joshua Tobey's co.; enlisted July 12, 1775; service, 3 mos. 8 days. Roll sworn to in Middlesex Co.

KEEN, SAMUEL, Taunton. Private, Capt. John King's co., Col. Timothy Walker's regt.; muster roll dated Aug. 1, 1775; enlisted May 3, 1775; service, 3 mos. 5 days; *also*, company return dated Oct. 6, 1775.

KEEN, SETH. Private, Capt. Job Peirce's (Middleborough) co., Col. Sprowtt's (Sprout's) regt.; marched Dec. 9, 1776; service, 7 days; company marched to Tiverton, R. I., on an alarm at Howland's Ferry.

KEEN, SNOW, Pembroke. Private, Capt. Thomas Turner's co. of militia, Col. Anthony Thomas's regt., which marched April 20, 1775, in response to the alarm of April 19, 1775; service, 3 days; *also*, Capt. Freedom Chamberlin's co.; marched March 5, 1776; service, 5 days; company marched on the alarm of March 5, 1776, at the time of taking Dorchester Heights; *also*, Capt. John Turner's co., Col. Eleazer Brooks's regt. of guards; joined Nov. 6, 1777; service to April 3, 1778, 1 mos. 27 days, at Cambridge.

KEEN, SPRANCE (also given SPERRY). Return dated July 26, 1777, of men mustered for Col. Robinson's regt. by James Hatch, Muster Master for Plymouth Co., to serve in the New England states until Jan. 1, 1778; enlisted by Capt. Cole; *also*, Private, Capt. Joseph Cole's co., Col. Robinson's regt.; enlisted July 12, 1777; service, 5 mos. 19 days, at Rhode Island; roll sworn to in Plymouth Co.; *also*, Capt. James Harlow's co., Col. Ezra Wood's regt.; enlisted July 1, 1778; service, 8 mos. 10 days, guarding passes of North river, including travel (520 miles) to and from camp; company raised for 8 months; *also*, order on Lieut. John Potter, Paymaster, Col. Wood's regt., for wages, payable to Perez Howland, dated Plimpton, April 20, 1779, signed by said Keen and others belonging to Capt. James Harlow's co.; *also*, Corporal, Capt. Calvin Partridge's co., Lieut. Col. Samuel Pierce's regt.; marched May 20, 1779; service, 1 mo. 15 days; company raised in Plymouth Co. and stationed at Little Compton, R. I.; *also*, descriptive list of men raised in Plymouth Co. in 1779 to serve in the Continental Army; age, 29 yrs.; stature, 5 ft. 7 in.; complexion, light; engaged for town of Pembroke; delivered to Lieut. S. Benjamin; *also*, Private, Major's co., Col. Bradford's (11th) regt.; entered service Aug. 4, 1779; discharged April 4, 1780; term, 9 months; *also*, Corporal, Capt. John Turner's co., Col. John Jacobs's regt.; appointed July 21, 1780; discharged Oct. 29, 1780; service, 3 mos. 6 days; regiment detached from militia to reinforce Continental Army at Rhode Island for 3 months.

KEEN, THOMAS, Salem. Return of men raised to serve in the Continental Army from 1st Essex Co. regt.; residence, Salem; engaged for town of Salem; joined Capt. Brown's co., Col. Putnam's regt.; term, 3 years; *also*, Private, Colonel's co., Col. Rufus Putnam's (5th) regt.; Continental Army pay accounts for service from Jan. 22, 1777, to Dec. 31, 1779; *also*, Capt. John Williams's co., Col. Putnam's (11th) regt.; return dated Albany, Feb. 9, 1778; mustered by John Cushing, Esq.; *also*, Lieut. Colonel's co., Col. Putnam's regt.; Continental Army pay accounts for service from Jan. 1, 1780, to Jan. 22, 1780.

KEEN, THOMAS. Private, Capt. Jacob Haskins's co., Col. Isaac Dean's regt.; enlisted March 6, 1781; discharged March 11, 1781; service, 10 days, at Rhode Island; company raised to serve for 40 days, unless sooner discharged.

KEEN, TUBAL (also given JUBAL), Pembroke. Private, Capt. Freedom Chamberlin's co., Col. Cary's regt.; company return dated "Cortlands Manner," Nov. 22, 1776; *also*, return of men raised to serve in the Continental Army from Capt. John Turner, Jr.'s (9th) co., Col. John Cushing's (2d Plymouth Co.) regt.; residence, Pembroke; engaged for town of Pembroke; joined Capt. Isaiah Stetson's co., Col. Bradford's regt.; term to expire April –, 1778; *also*, list of men mustered by James Hatch, Muster Master for Plymouth Co., to serve in the Continental Army for the term of 8 months, dated Oct. 7, 1777; *also*, Private, Capt. Isaiah Stetson's co., Col. Gamaliel Bradford's regt.; return [year not given]; mustered by County and Continental Muster Masters; *also*, list of men mustered in Plymouth Co. by James Hatch, Muster Master, to serve until Jan. 1, 1779; residence, Pembroke; *also*, Corporal, Capt. Calvin Curtis's co., Col. John Jacobs's regt.; engaged June 24, 1778; service, 6 mos. 10 days, at Rhode Island; enlistment to expire Jan. 1, 1779.

KEEN, TUBAL. Acting Midshipman, frigate "Deane," commanded by Capt. Samuel Nicholson; engaged Feb. 18, 1782; service to May 31, 1782, 3 mos. 13 days; *also*, receipt dated Boston, April 19, 1784, for wages for service to May 10, 1783, on board the frigate "Hague," commanded by Capt. John Manley.

KEEN, WILLIAM. Private; order on Maj. Dummer Sewall, dated Bristol, Nov. 18, 1775, signed by said Keen and others belonging to Capt. Caleb Turner's co., for wages for 1 month; *also*, Capt. Caleb Turner's co.; enlisted July 13, 1775; service to Dec. 31, 1775, 6 mos. 3 days, in defence of seacoast; roll dated Bristol.

KEENE, ——. [This name also appears under the form of Ceen, Kean, Keane, Keen, Keenes, Keens.]

KEENE, JOHN, Lancaster. Sergeant, Maj. Eayers's co., Col. Flower's regt. of Artillery artificers; Continental Army pay accounts for service from Nov. 13, 1779, to Dec. 31, 1779; residence, Lancaster.

KEENE, JOHN. Sergt. Enos Dean's detachment of guards; service, 15 days, by order of Committee of Correspondence, etc., in order to prevent escape of Highlanders and other prisoners from Taunton jail during the alarm of Dec. 8, 1776.

KEENE, JOHN. Receipt for bounty paid said Keene by a class of the town of West Springfield, to which Col. Benjamin Day and others belonged, to serve in the Continental Army for the term of 3 years, unless sooner discharged; reported mustered by Col. Woodbridge and delivered to Col. Sheppard; *also*, descriptive list of men raised in Hampshire Co. to serve in the Continental Army as returned by Noah Goodman, Superintendent; age, 24 yrs.; stature, 5 ft. 7 in.; complexion, dark; hair, dark; occupation, blacksmith; engaged for town of West Springfield; engaged Feb. 16, 1781; term, 3 years.

KEENE, LAWRENCE. Captain, in a regiment commanded by Lieut. Col. John Parke; pay roll for Aug., 1778.

KEENE, TUBAL, Pembroke. Private, Capt. Thomas Turner's co. of militia, Col. John Bailey's (Bailey's) regt.; pay abstract for mileage, dated Jan. 10, 1776; mileage (63 miles) allowed said Keene; reported encamped with Brig. Gen. Thomas's brigade.

NOTES

KEEN

Abram, Va. S11710
Edward, N.J. see KEAN
Jacob, Mass. Hannah BLWt. 3982-160-55
Jesse, Mass. S29935
John, Va. BLWt 12294-100 Pvt. Iss. 7/7/1792 to Robert Means, ass. no papers
Tubal, Mass. Navy S32841

KEENE

Lawrence, Pa. BLWt 1235-300

Andrew, Pa. S22343
Isaac, Mass. S35498
Jacob, N.J. BLWt 8468-100 Pvt. Iss. 3/30/1796 to Hannah Keen Admx. No papers
John, Va. S37127
Meshack, Cont. Mass. S16902
William, N.C. S41715

Samuel Y., Md BLWt 213-300 No papers found. Old BL reg. shows: Surgn. Mate-Warrant iss. 9/5/1805 Delivered to T. Worthington

Benjamin, Mass. S18479
Isaiah, Mass. Lydia W13567
James, Mass. S35496
John, Mass. Priscilla, W24742
John, N.C. Elizabeth W7959
JOSHUA, Mass. Lydia W21517
Michael, Md BLWt 11430-100 Pvt. Iss. 1/11/1796 to Joshua Ward, ass. no papers

William, Mass. Celana/Celena W26746

ABSTRACTS OF REVOLUTIONARY WAR PENSION FILES

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KEEN, Abram, S11710, VA Line, appl 31 May 1839 Mecklenburg Co VA aged 77, he lived in Halifax Co VA at enl & in 1777 he moved to Amelia Co VA & in 1785 he moved to Mecklenburg Co VA

Andrew, S22343, PA Line, sol was b in Aug 1749, appl 30 Oct 1833 Philadelphia Co PA

Benjamin, S18479, MA Line, sol was b in 1756 in Bristol Co MA & he lived at Middleborough in Plymouth Co MA at enl & after the Rev he moved to Raynham in Bristol Co MA & he appl there 28 Aug 1832

Edward or Edward Kain or Kean, S33348, NJ Line, nee Edward Kean or Kain

Isaac, S35498, MA Line, appl 29 May 1820 Kennebec Co ME aged 59 a res of Clinton ME with a wife Mary aged 58 & children; Merle 20, Jonah 18, Betsy 15, Isaac 13 & Sarah aged 10 yrs

Isaiah or Isaiah Keene, Lydia, W13567, MA Line, sol appl 31 Mar 1818 Plymouth Co MA, in 1820 sol was aged 59 a res of Hanson MA with a wife Lydia & 10 children of which 4 lived at home, towit; Isaiah, Priscilla, John & the 4th child wasn't named & also a grandson Isaiah lived with sol, sol d 22 Jan 1838 at Hanson MA aged 76, wid appl in Aug 1838 Plymouth Co MA, sol had m Lydia Bourne 16 Apr 1781 both were of Pembroke MA, a James Bourne of Hanson MA made aff'dt 24 Aug 1838 aged 74

Jacob or Jacob Keene, Hannah, BLW #3982-160-55, MA Line, sol m Hannah Adams 1 Jan 1787 at Thomaston MA (ME) & sol d 17 Jun 1830, a Stephen Coombs & David R. Tolman were witnesses to wid's aff'dt

Jacob, BLW #8468-100-30 Mar 1796 to Hannah Keen adm'x, srv as a Pvt in the NJ Line

James, S35496, MA Line, appl 23 Sep 1823 Oxford Co ME aged 73 a res of Sumner ME with a wife Sarah aged 68, sol land to Francis Keen on 1 Mar 1819 & in the fall of 1822 he sold Andrew Keen a cow

Jesse, S29935, MA Line, sol d 12 Feb 1833 leaving no wid but left children; Reuben & Joseph Keen, Mercy Sherman & Huldah Rennsaville, sol's wife had d 15 Mar 1828, the son Reuben Keen appl 2 Feb 1847 at Fairhaven in Bristol Co MA aged 66

John, Priscilla, W24742, MA Line, sol lived at Taunton in Bristol Co MA at enl & in 1785 sol lived at "Bucktown" MA (ME), sol appl 17 Aug 1832 at Turner in Oxford Co ME aged 72 & sol d there 15 Aug 1842 sol had m Priscilla Roberson or Robinson on 17 Mar 1785 both were of Bucktown MA (ME), wid appl 3 Jul 1843 at Turner ME aged 79, in 1843 a son Josiah Keen was of Turner ME aged 50

John, Elizabeth, W7959, NC Line, sol lived in Johnston Co NC at enl & sol m there to Elizabeth or Elisabeth Boyel in Apr 1786, sol d 17 Aug 1824, wid appl 3 Jun 1845 Anson Co NC aged 86, wid d 9 or 18 Jun (both dates given) 1845, children were; Molly b 23 Jan 1787, George b 20 Oct 1789, Elizabeth b in Apr 1792, ????fert (paper torn) b 18 Jun 1794, Mourning b 5 Jan 1797, Keziah b 14 Mar 1799 & Pashia b 2 Sep 1801, other children shown but no birth dates given were; Feriba, Elisha, Letha or Litha & Sarah "Sally", also shown was Phebe Boyel daughter of Elizabeth Boyel b 3 Apr 1783, in 1851 surviving children were; George, Betsey, Mourning, Cuzza "Keziah", Letha & Sarah "Sally" all were then living in Anson Co NC, in 1845 sol's sis Nancy Horn was aged 86 & her husband James Horn was aged 89 & were living in Anson Co NC, sol's sis Alicy Keen was aged 80 in 1845 also of Anson Co NC, the sis Nancy & James Horn had m about the close of the Rev War

John, BLW #12294-100-7 Jul 1792 assignee Robert Means, srv as a Pvt in the VA Line

John, S37127, VA Line, appl 27 Oct 1823 Campbell Co KY aged 62 with a wife aged 60

Joshua or Joshua Keene, Lydia, W21517, MA Line, the sol Joshua Keen, Jr. m Lydia Crooker, Jr. 13 Jul 1780 at Pembroke MA & sol d 19 Dec 1818, wid appl 23 Apr 1846 Cumberland Co ME aged 82, sol's youngest bro was Nathaniel Keen of Hebron ME was was aged 69 in 1846

Meshack or Meshack Keene, S16902, Cont & MA Line, appl 14 Aug 1832 at Sumner in Oxford Co ME aged 73, sol enl 1st at Pembroke MA & later enl at Roxbury MA in 1778 & in 1779 enl again at Pembroke MA, sol was b in 1759 at Pembroke in Plymouth Co MA & lived there at enl & in 1782 moved to Sumner MA (ME)

Michael, BLW #11430-100-11 Jan 1796 assignee Joshua Ward, srv as a Pvt in the MD Line

Tubal or Tubal Keene, S32941, MA Line & Navy Srv, appl 18 Jan 1819 at Boston MA, in 1820 sol was aged 67 & stated he had no family

William, S41715, NC Line, sol enl in Sampson Co NC & he lived there 29 Apr 1819 aged 58 but he appl in Cumberland Co NC & in 1824 he was still there with his wife Christian aged 64 & 4 children; a daughter Delaney Keen aged 23 & 3 unnamed children aged 6, 4 & 1 yr

KEENE, Lawrence, BLW #1235-300-24 Mar 1827 to Sarah L. Keene sol's daughter who was of Philadelphia Co PA, sol had srv in the PA Line, the daughter was sol's only heir, land was located 23 Oct 1837 at New Philadelphia OH

Samuel Y., BLW #213-300-5 Sep 1805 to T. Worthington, srv as Surgeon's Mate in the MD Line, no papers

William, Celana or Celena, W26746, MA Line, sol m Celana Wadsworth 27 Apr 1784 at Duxbury in Plymouth Co MA, appl 9 Apr 1818 Lincoln Co MA (ME), in 1820 sol was aged 67 a res of Bristol ME with a wife aged 58 & a son aged 19, wid appl 19 Sep 1838 Kennebec Co ME aged 72, sol d 16 Jul 1821 at Bremen ME a Charles Keene of Augusta ME made aff'dt 19 Sep 1838 but did not state a relationship

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KEEN
Isaac, Cpl, MA, contd
1(S35498); 3S; 4S;
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KEEN
Isaac, Jr, Mil
r Kittery
Mil-Kittery

KEEN
Jacob, Sr, MA
b Pembroke, MA 1731
d Rockland 1788
m Deborah
CL-4, 1:378; MOCA

KEEN, *See* Keene
Jacob, MA
r Thomaston
Lt Kelloch's co
Capt Ulmer's co
1S

KEEN
Jacob, Jr, MA
Lt Kelloch's co
1S

KEEN
Jacob, Jr
b 1760
d Rockland 1830
m Hannah
MOCA

KEEN
James, MA
b 1750
Col Bailey's regt
r Sumner 1823
1(S35496); 3S

KEEN
John
b Bristol 1767
d Rockland 1829
m Hannah
CL-18, p 28; MOCA

KEEN
John, Jr, MA
r Old York
b 1760
d Turner 1842
m Priscilla
1(W24742); 1S; 3S;
CL-4, 1:379; CL-17;
MOCA

KEEN
Joshua, Lt, MA
b Marshfield, MA 1730
d E Hebron 1823
m Abigail
CL-4, 1:378; MOCA

KEEN
Joshua
b Pembroke, MA 1758
d Hebron 1818
m Lydia
MOCA

KEEN
Lemuel
b Pembroke, MA 1759
d Sumner 1829
m(1) Elizabeth
(2) Mary
CL-43; MOCA

KEEN
Levi, PS
r Waldoborough
TR-W1, Mar. 1781

KEEN
Meshach, Cpl, Cont,
MA
r Pembroke, MA
b Pembroke, MA 1758
d Sumner 1844
bur Buckfield
m Kezia
1(S16902); 1S; 3S;
CL-2, 166:189; MOCA

KEEN
Simeon, Mil
r Kittery
Mil-Kittery

KEEN
Tubel
bur Sumner
CL-18, p 33; MOCA

KEEN, *See* Keene
William, MA
Capt Turner's co
1S

KEENE
Abel, PS
r Edgecomb
TR-E1, p 36

KEENE
Hezekiah, MA
b Pembroke, MA 1740
d Bremen 1809
m Hannah
CL-4, 1:378; MOCA

KEENE, *See also* Keen
Jacob, MA
r Thomaston
b Pembroke, MA 1731
Capt Ulmer's co
d Rockland 1788
m Deborah
1S; CL-2, 43:343

KEENE
John, PS
b Pembroke, MA 1729
d Turner 1831
m(1) Keziah
(2) Jerusha
CL-4, 1:378; MOCA

KEENE, *See also* Keen
William, MA
r Bristol
b Marshfield, MA
1753
Col Bond's regt
Capt Turner's co
r Bristol 1820
d 1821
bur Bremen
m Celanah
1(W26746); 1S; 3S;
17S; CL-2, 59:233;
CL-18, p 16; MOCA

KEENE
William
b Pownalborough 1740
prisoner
d Halifax, Nova
Scotia, Canada
1782
MOCA

KEEN, *See also* Cane
Isaac, Cpl, MA
e Kittery
b Kittery 1754
d Clinton 1854
m Mercy

Joshua Keen

Appears with rank of Private on

Muster and Pay Roll

of Capt. John Turner's Co.,

Col. Theoph^s Cotton's Regt.,

for service at Rhode Island ~~on the Alarm of~~ X

~~Time of enlistment~~ Marched September 28, 1777.

Time of discharge,

Time of service, 1 months, 3 days.

Town to which soldier belonged Pembroke

Remarks: X Not given. Marched by resolve of Court of September 25, 1777

Not given

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Joshua Keen

Appears with rank of Private on

Lexington Alarm Roll Militia

of Capt. Thomas Turner's Co.,

Col. Anthony Thomas Regt.,

which marched ~~on~~ in response to the alarm of April 19, 1775, X

from Pembroke

to

Town to which soldier belonged,

Pembroke

Length of service, 3 days.

Remarks: X April 20 date of marching -

Not given

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Joshua Keen

Appears among

A List of Officers

chosen in the several companies of the 2d Plymouth Co. regt. dated Hanover, May 8. 1776 -

2d Lieut. - Capt. John Foord's 14th (Pembroke) co.

Ordered in Council, May 10, 1776, that said officers be commissioned

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Rev.

Joshua Keen

Appears among

A List of Officers

~~of the Massachusetts Militia~~

as 2nd Lieutenant

in the 14th Co.,

of the 2nd Plymouth Co. Regt. of Mass. militia

Commissioned May 10, 1776.

Remarks: - Capt. John Ford's Co -

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Rev.

Joshua Keen

Appears among

A List of Officers

of the Massachusetts Militia

as 2nd Lieutenant

in the 14th Co.,

of the 2nd Plymouth Co. Regt.

Commissioned #

Remarks: - # Not given

Capt. John Ford's Co -

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Joshua Keen

Appears among

A List of Officers

appointed to command Companies of a regiment raised from Brig. Joseph Cushing's (Plymouth Co.) brigade and ordered to march to Bristol, R.I. as returned by Joseph Cushing to Maj. Gen. Warren dated Hanover, Dec. 26 1776.

Rank - 2d Lieutenant, Lieut. Increase Robison's co., Lieut. Col. Jeremiah Hall's regt.

Co. raised in Pembroke, part of Bridgewater & Abington

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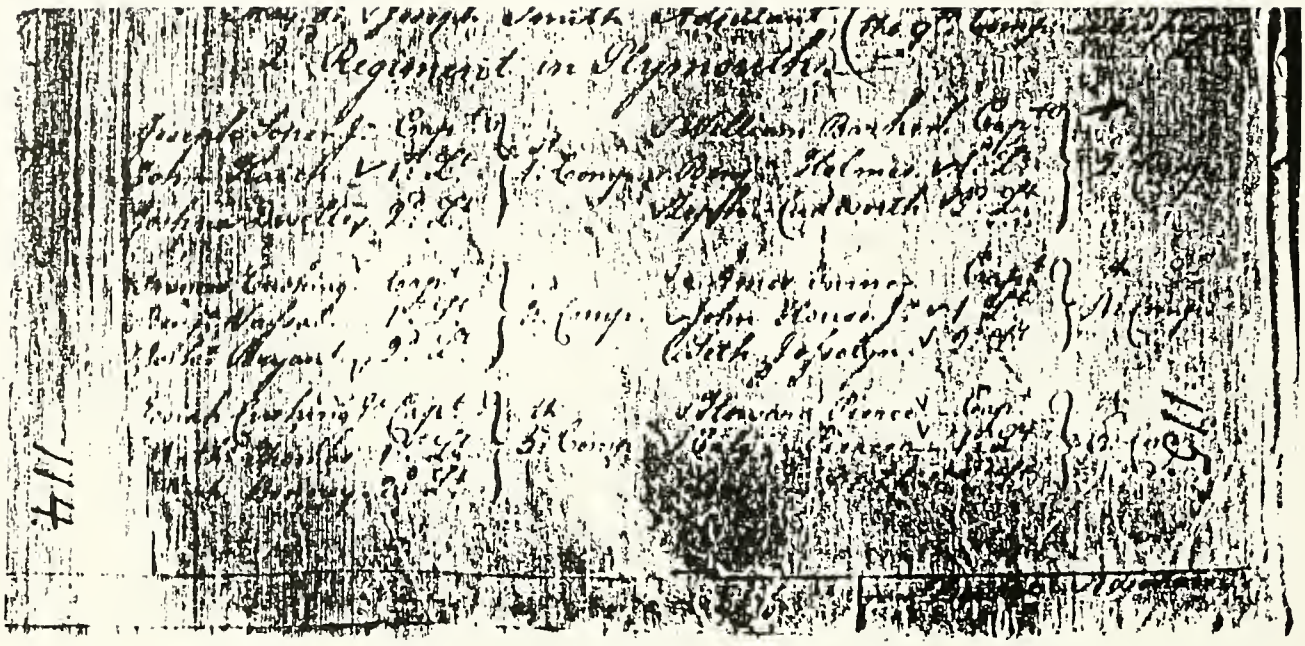

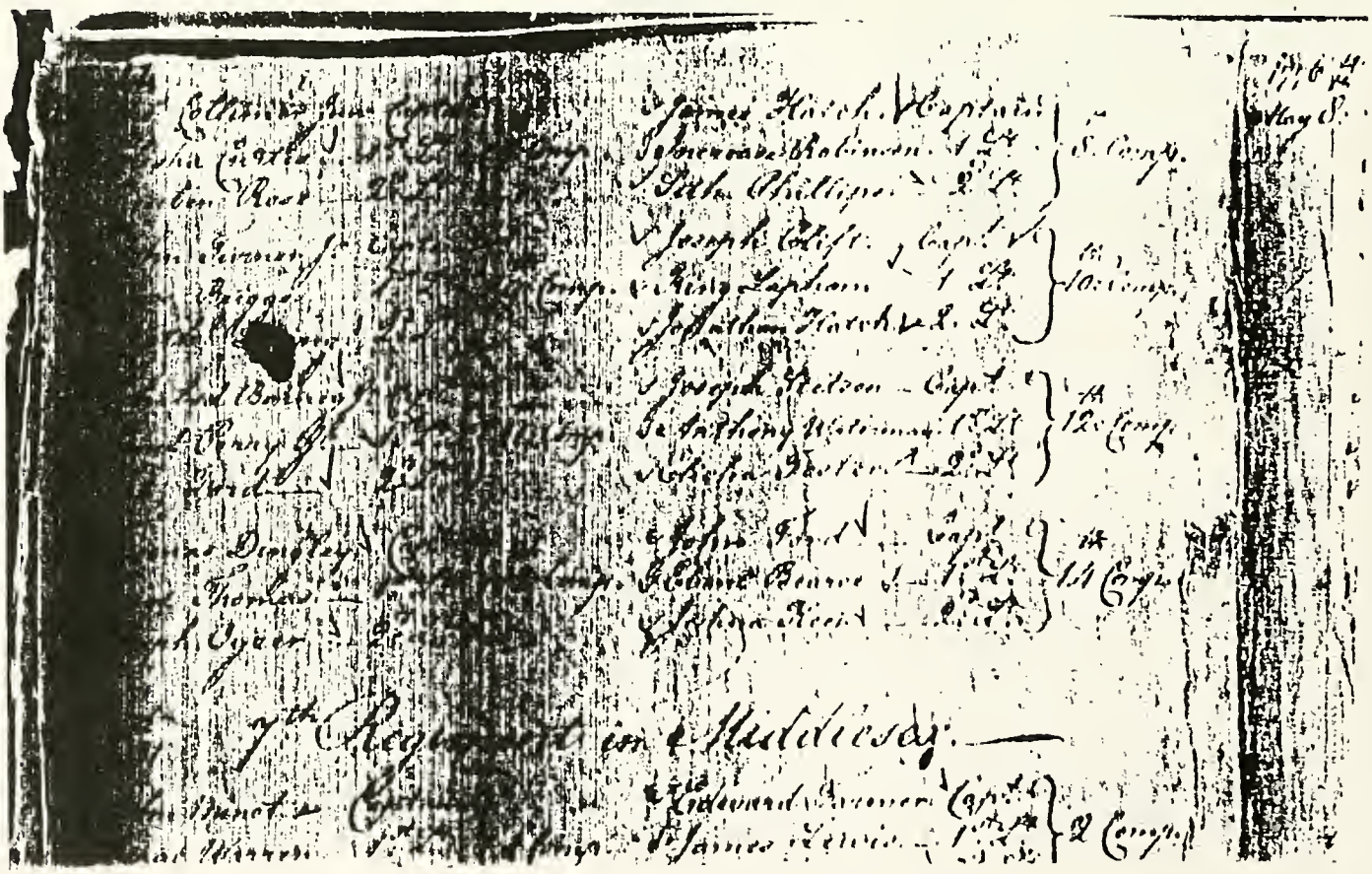

Commissioned Officers 2d Regt Plymouth — 20

Compy	Captn	1st Lieut	2d Lieut
1	Joseph Sprague	John Hatch ✓	✓ Joshua Dwelley
2	Wm Barker ✓	Benj. Holmes ✓	✓ Joseph Cudworth ✓
3	Saml Cushing ✓	Benj. Vassall	✓ Joshua Bryant ✓
4	Amos Turner	John House ✓	5 Noah Ramsey ✓
5	Joseph Cushing	Nathl Thomas	
6	Howard Pierce	Calvin Pierce ✓	6 Lawrence Litchfield
7	Thos Collamore		Reuben Rose
8	Jos. Hatch ✓	Simeon Robinson	Amos Baker ✓
9	John Turner	Ezra Briggs ✓	✓ Nathl Loring ✓
10	Joseph Clift ✓	Amos Lapham ✓	✓ Jon. Hatch ✓
11	Ichabod Bonney ✓	Saml Perry ✓	Lott Ford ✓
12	Joseph Stetson	Anthony Waterman ✓	✓ Elisha Foster ✓
13	Jos. Bingley ✓	Briggs Thomas	
14	John Ford ✓	Elijah Barce ✓	Joshua Keen ✓

3d Regt Plymouth

Compy	Captn	1st Lieut	2d Lieut
1	Richard Howard	Elijah Snell	✓ Jon. Packard ✓
2		Joseph Bassett ✓	Jona. Willis
3	Nathan Snow	Benj. Bates ✓	John Fullerton ✓
4	Jonathan Allen ✓	Jn. Whitman ✓	✓ Saml Poole ✓
5		✓ Danl Howard ✓	✓ Jesse Howard ✓
6	Jos. Allen ✓	Josh. Alden ✓	Noah Whitman
7	Daniel Packard	Zach. Washburn	John Buck[illegible]
8	Edward Cobb	Joshua Shaw	Benj. B[illegible]
9	Daniel [illegible]	Benj. Harris	Joseph Lothrop
10	Nathan Packard ✓	Jesse Perkins ✓	✓ Nathl Orcutt
11	Josiah Keith ✓	Saml Dunbar ✓	Elijah Barnes

Attest

[illegible] ✓ Gideon Barton ✓ [illegible] Job Young

DUMMER'S WAR TO THE WAR OF JENKINS EAR

MASSACHUSETTS 1723-1743 Edited by Myron O. Stachiw

NAME	RANK	RESIDENCE	MILITARY EXPEDITION	DATES OF SERVICE	LENGTH	COMPANY
KEEN, Josiah	Corp.	Pembroke	St. George's Fort	23 Oct-2 Jun 1724	32 weeks	Capt. Samuel Wheelwright
KEEN, Josiah	PVT	Pembroke	"	2 Jun-7Sep 1725	14 weeks	"
KEEN, Josiah	PVT	Pembroke	WEST INDIES	25 Apr-1741-42		Capt. John Winslow

MASSACHUSETTS OFFICERS IN THE FRENCH AND INDIAN WARS

1748-1763 Edited by Nancy S. Voye

No	Name	Rank	Residence	Military Expedition	Service: Year	Time Period	Length of Service M W D	Company	Regiment
3160	Keen	Capt.	--	Lake George	1758	--	- - -	X	Col. Doty
3161	Keen, Abel	Lt.	Pembroke	Crown Point	1755(p)	9/11-12/22	- 14 3	Capt. Lt.Elisha Hersey	--
3162	Keen, Abel	Lt.	--	Fort Wm. Henry	1757	2/12-8/7	- 25 2	Capt. Ralph Gurton Waldo	--
3163	Keen, Abel	Capt.	--	Fort Wm. Henry	1757	8/8-11/17	- 14 4	Capt. Ralph Gurton Waldo	--
3164	Keen, Abel	Capt.	Boston	Crown Point	1757-58	11/18-3/13	- 16 4	X	--
3165	Keen, Abel	Capt.	Pembroke	Canada	1758(p)	3/13-12/6	9 - 17	X	Col. Thomas Doty
3166	Keen, Abel	Capt.	--	Canada	1759(d)	February	- - -	X	Col. Thomas Doty
3167	Keen, Abel	Capt.	Pembroke	Lunenberg	1759(p)	3/31-11/1	- 30 6	X	--
3168	Keen, Abel	Capt.	--	Nova Scotia	1760-61	1/1-1/11	- - -	X	Col. Thwing
3169	Keen, Abel	Capt.	--	--	1761(d)	August	- - -	--	Col. Jonathan Hoar
3170	Keen, Abel	Capt.	Pembroke	--	1761-62(p)	6/18-1/17	- 39 2	X	--
3171	Keen, Abel	Capt.	Pembroke	--	1762(p)	3/4-11/1	- 34 5	X	--
3172	Keen, Abel	Capt.	Pembroke	--	1762-63(p)	11/2-8/17	- 41 2	X	--
3173	Keen, Abell	Capt.	Pembroke	--	1756(p)	--	- - -	X	Col. Joseph Thacher
3174	Keen, Abell	Capt.	Pembroke	Crown Point	1756	2/18-12/23	- 44 2	X	--
3175	Keen, Abell	Capt.	--	Crown Point	1756(d)	October	- - -	X	--
3176	Keen, Able	Capt.	--	Crown Point	1756(d)	May	- - -	X	Col. Joseph Thacher

Pembroke

JOSHUA KEEN jr / LYDIA CROOKER

b. June 23, 1758
p. Pembroke, MA
d. December 19, 1818
buried Highland Cem.
Poland, Maine

b. March 24, 1763
p. Pembroke, MA
d. May 11, 1846
buried Highland Cem.
Poland, Maine
m. Joshua Keen jr at Pembroke, MA, July 13, 1780 (VR)
f. Jonathan Crooker
m. Bethia (Lowden) Crooker

THE CHILDREN OF JOSHUA KEEN jr AND LYDIA CROOKER

PRISCILLA KEEN	LYDIA KEEN	JOSHUA KEEN III	SETH KEEN
b. August 9, 1781	b. July 25, 1783	b. July 8, 1785	b. July 3, 1787
p. Hebron, Maine	p. Hebron, Maine	p. Hebron, Maine	p. Hebron, Maine (VR)
d. December 24, 1866 Poland, ME	d.	d. December 19, 1859 Poland, ME	d. February 16, 1841 Highland Cem. Poland, ME
m. Seth Crooker at Oxford 10/23/1800	m. Reuben Loring	m. Mary Drake of Oxford 10 ch.	m. Sally Rowe
BETHIAH KEEN	ABIGAIL KEEN	DOLLY KEEN	SPRAGUE KEEN
b. July 24, 1789	b. October 11, 1791	b. February 15, 1794	b. November 27, 1796
p. Hebron, Maine	p. Hebron, Maine	p. Hebron, ME	p. Hebron, ME
d.	d.	d. No further known	d.
m. Robert Snell jr of Poland, ME	m. Samuel Megquier of Poland, ME	m.	m. (widow) Susan Stevens Fernald
CHARLOTTE KEEN (1)	AZOEA KEEN	CHARLOTTE KEEN (2)	IRA KEEN
b. August 22, 1799	b. October 22, 1801	b. August 8, 1806	b. July 10, 1809
p. Hebron, ME	p. Hebron, ME	p. Hebron, ME	p. Hebron, ME
d. November 9, 1800 burial Hebron, ME	d.	d. July 4, 1887	d. April 21, 1883 Poland, ME
	m. Daniel Bray April 1, 1817	m. Lebeus Pratt of Hebron, ME	m. Martha Ann Hodgdon

All of these birth records are on microfilm at the Maine State Archives in Augusta, Maine and are hand-written accounts of the children of Joshua jr and Lydia Crooker. The children of Seth and Sally Keen are also in the same files.

Joshua Keen jr served in the Revolutionary War and is listed as a Private on a Widow's Pension document listing Lydia as his widow and his death in 1818. She received the sum of $29.44 per annum from March 4, 1836 to March 4, 1841. The document is signed by the Secretary of War and is dated "this fourth day of June, one thousand, eight hundred and forty seven." This helps to confirm that Joshua sr was a 2nd Lieutenant and Joshua jr was a Private in the Mass. Regiments of the Continental Army (Annals of Oxford). Military records were obtained from National Archives.

We are following the lineage of SETH KEEN (G7)

Hebron is situated on the south-eastern border of Oxford County. Buckfield bounds it on the north, Oxford on the south, Paris on the west, and Turner and Minot, in Androscoggin County, on the east. The form of the town is that of an irregular triangle, with its base toward the north, having its two sides about 7¾ miles in length, and its base about 5¼ miles. The surface of the town is generally hilly. Three bear the names, Greenwood Hill, Ben Burrow's Hill and Streaked Mountain,—the last being the highest. It is situated in the north-west corner of the town, and is a large and rather smooth elevation rising to a height of nearly 1,600 feet above the plain. Its surface shows a large proportion of solid rock, covered in such a way by soil and shrubbery as to cause the appearance from which it gains its name. The numerous ledges are generally a coarse granite, and the soil has a good sprinkling of stones. Some of the hills are rocky and precipitous, while good farms are found on the declivities of others. All the usual farm crops are cultivated, but that of hay has probably a larger value than any other The principal body of water is Matthews Pond, on the south-west border of the town; which has a length of one mile, and a width of about one-fourth of a mile. The chief streams are Bog Brook and the Middle Branch. The small water-power of the town is mainly furnished by the outlet of Matthews Pond. The Rumford Falls and Buckfield Railroad runs through the town.

The territory constituting the town of Hebron was granted by Massachusetts to Alexander Shepard, Jr., of Newton, Mass., in March, 1777, in return for a chart of a coast survey in which Mr. Shepard had assisted. The survey was said to have been made by an Englishman, and completed just at the time when the colonies began to pay English demands in a currency less acceptable than cash; and he abruptly quitted America, but left his chart behind him. Subsequently Shepard extended his claim over the neighboring isolated tracts, until it embraced above 36,000 acres. He with Dr. Goddard and John Greenwood were subsequently influential settlers of the region. The first settler was probably John Caldwell of Ipswich, and the first resident family that of Capt. David Buckman, in 1778. In 1780 and the year following, came among others, Messrs. Barrows, Bumpas, Benson, Cushman, Weston, Keen, Richmond, and Thayer. The original name of the plantation was Shepardstown, from the proprietor, though the early settlers called it Bog Brook Plantation. The incorporation under the present good old Hebrew name was granted March 6, 1792. It then extended some 15 miles, from Norway to Turner, and being inconvenient for voters, in 1829 the south-westerly part was set off to form Oxford. Among the settlers who have rendered good service to the town should be mentioned Deacon William Barrows, who gave his efforts in aid of many good works, and was mainly influential in the founding of Hebron Academy This institution was incorporated Feb. 10, 1804; and has been and still remains a flourishing and useful school. This town is the birth-place of Albion K. Parris, governor of the State from 1832 to 1837, and others who have proved valuable men in their various callings. Hebron sent 65 men to do battle for the Union, of whom 16 were lost. The town has one citizen near his hundredth year.

The Baptists and Free Baptists have neat and commodious church-edifices here. There are seven public schoolhouses in Hebron, valued at $2,400. The valuation of estates in 1870 was $222,180. In 1880 it was $189,113. The population in 1870 was 744. In 1880 it was 601.

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The following births are hand-written on Hebron town records on p.58 regarding Keens from 1700-1800 and are on Archive microfilm.

Ozin G., son of Joshua jr & Mary Keen b. Jan.22, 1820

Lydia, daughter of Seth & Salley Keen b. Dec.23, 1813

Seth, son of Seth & Salley Keen b. Aug. 17, 1815

Sprague, son of Seth & Salley Keen b. Mar. 22, 1817

Hannah, daughter of Seth and Salley Keen b. Jan.24, 1819

Rovenia, daughter of Seth & Salley Keen b. July 13, 1820

Nathaniel, son of Seth and Salley Keen b. Jan. 23, 1823

The Hebron Archive records also have handwritten records of the children of Joshua Keen jr listed on microfilm.

JOSHUA KEEN jr

Priscilla D August 9, 1778 (Other records indicate 1781)

Lydia July (Other records indicate July 25, 1783)

Joshua (son) July (Other records indicate July 3, 1785)

Seth (son) July 3, 1787

Bethia D July 24, 1789

Abigail D Oct. 11, 1791

Dolly D Feb. 15, 1794

Sprague son Nov. 27, 1796

It should be noted that Joshua and Lydia Keen had five (5) more children born in Hebron, Maine -- Zoe, Charlotte (lived 3 months), Ozin, Charlotte (2), and Hira, the last being born in 1809.

Robert R. Keen Dayton, OH 1993

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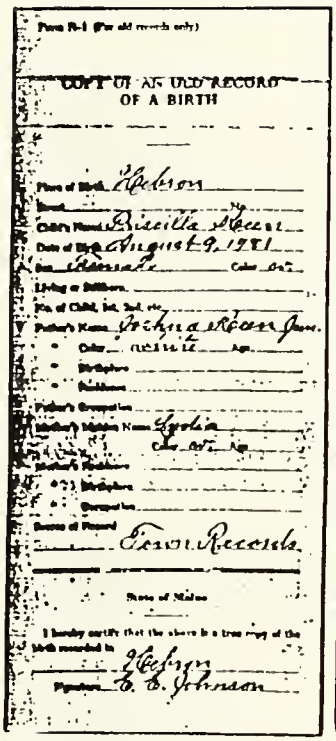
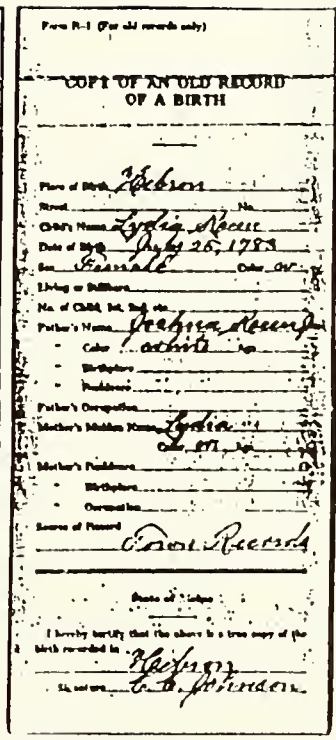


COPY OF AN OLD RECORD OF A BIRTH

Place of Birth Hebron
Child's Name Priscilla Keen
Date of Birth August 9, 1781
Sex Female Color wht
Parent's Name Joshua Keen Jun.
Color white Age
Mother's Maiden Name Lydia
Color wht Age
Source of Record Town Records
State of Maine
I hereby certify that the above is a true copy of the birth recorded in Hebron
Signature E. E. Johnson



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Place of Birth Hebron
Child's Name Lydia Keen
Date of Birth July 26, 1783
Sex Female Color wht
Parent's Name Joshua Keen Jr
Color white Age
Mother's Maiden Name Lydia
Color wht Age
Source of Record Town Records
State of Maine
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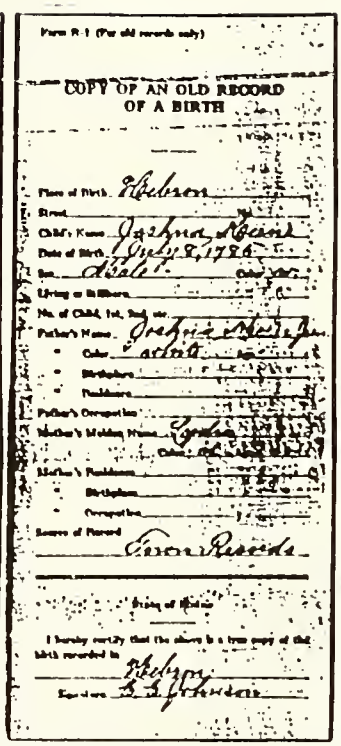

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Place of Birth Hebron
Child's Name Joshua Keen
Date of Birth July 8, 1786
Sex Male Color wht
Parent's Name Joshua Keen Jr
Color white Age
Mother's Maiden Name Lydia
Source of Record Town Records
State of Maine
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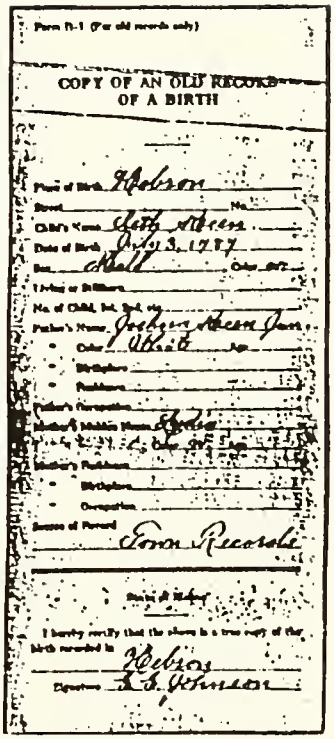

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Place of Birth Hebron
Child's Name Seth Keen
Date of Birth July 3, 1787
Sex Male Color wht
Parent's Name Joshua Keen Jun.
Color White Age
Source of Record Town Records
State of Maine
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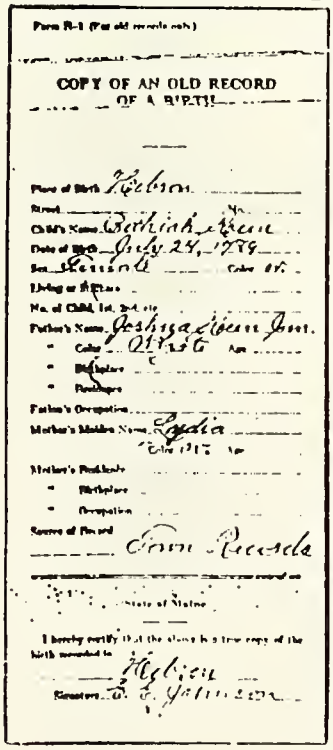

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Place of Birth Hebron
Child's Name Bethiah Keen
Date of Birth July 24, 1789
Sex Female Color wht
Parent's Name Joshua Keen Jun.
Color White Age
Mother's Maiden Name Lydia
Source of Record Town Records
State of Maine
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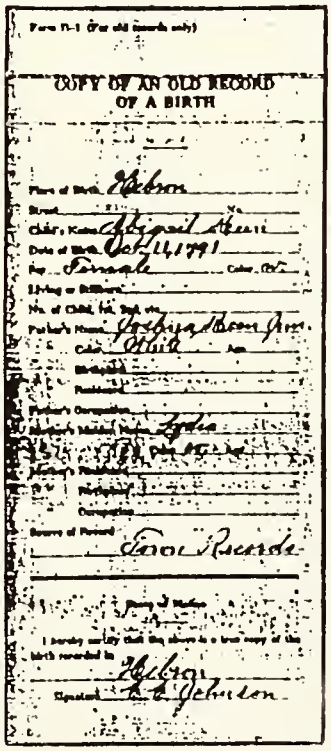

COPY OF AN OLD RECORD OF A BIRTH

Place of Birth Hebron
Child's Name Abigail Keen
Date of Birth Oct 14 1791
Sex Female Color wht
Parent's Name Joshua Keen Jun.
Color White Age
Mother's Maiden Name Lydia
Source of Record Town Records
State of Maine
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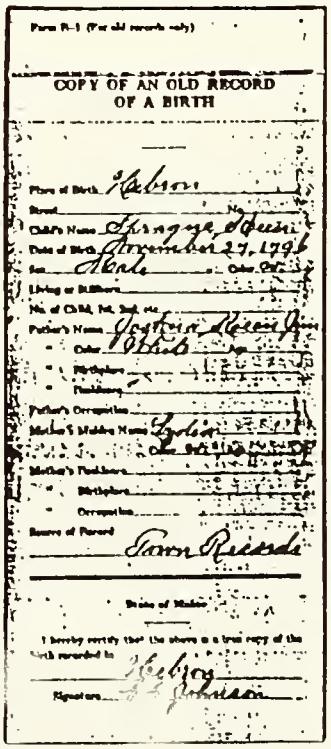

COPY OF AN OLD RECORD OF A BIRTH

Place of Birth Hebron
Child's Name Stranger Keen
Date of Birth November 27, 1796
Sex Male Color wht
Parent's Name Joshua Keen Jun.
Color White Age
Mother's Maiden Name Lydia
Source of Record Town Records
State of Maine
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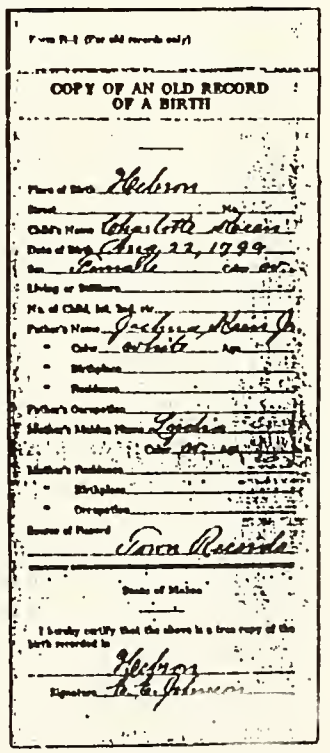

COPY OF AN OLD RECORD OF A BIRTH

Place of Birth Hebron
Child's Name Charlotte Keen
Date of Birth Aug 22, 1799
Sex Female Color wht
Parent's Name Joshua Keen Jr.
Color white Age
Mother's Maiden Name Lydia
Source of Record Town Records
State of Maine
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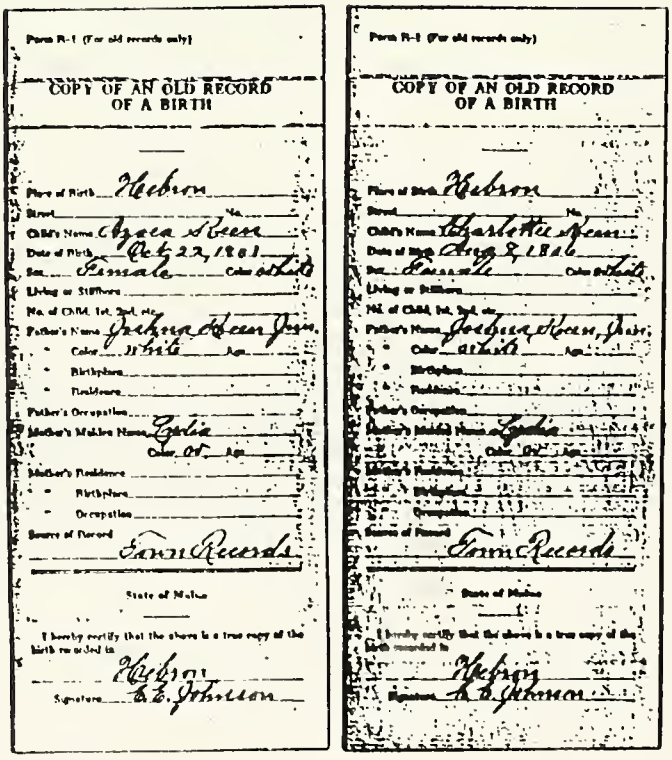

Form R-1 (For old records only)

COPY OF AN OLD RECORD OF A BIRTH

Place of Birth Hebron
Street ____ No. ____
Child's Name Olyca A Keen
Date of Birth Oct 22, 1801
Sex Female Color White
Living or Stillborn ____
No. of Child, 1st, 2nd, etc. ____
Father's Name Joshua Keen Jun.
Color White Age ____
Birthplace ____
Residence ____
Father's Occupation ____
Mother's Maiden Name Lydia
Color ____ Age ____
Mother's Residence ____
Birthplace ____
Occupation ____
Source of Record Town Records

State of Maine

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Signature A. E. Johnson

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COPY OF AN OLD RECORD OF A BIRTH

Place of Birth Hebron
Street ____ No. ____
Child's Name Charlotte Keen
Date of Birth Aug 9, 1806
Sex Female Color White
Living or Stillborn ____
No. of Child, 1st, 2nd, etc. ____
Father's Name Joshua Keen, Junr.
Color White Age ____
Birthplace ____
Residence ____
Father's Occupation ____
Mother's Maiden Name Lydia
Color ____ Age ____
Mother's Residence ____
Birthplace ____
Occupation ____
Source of Record Town Records

State of Maine

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No record of Dolly Keen or Hira Keen found in the Maine Archives, but these two are mentioned in other genealogies of the same Keen family.

Maine. 8181

Lydia Keene
widow of Joshua Keen
Mass
who was a Private
in the Mass. Line
Husb.d died 19th Dec. 1812

Inscribed on the Roll at the rate of
29 Dollars 44
Cents per annum, to commence on
the 4th day of March, 1843.

Certificate of Pension issued the
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[Acts of March 3, 1843, and June 17, 1844.]

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WAR DEPARTMENT.

WIDOW'S PENSION.

I certify that in conformity with the act of July 7, 1838, Lydia Keen of Maine widow of Joshua Keen who was a Private in the Mass. Line and died on the 19th day of December 1818 is inscribed on the pension list at the rate of Twenty nine dollars and forty four cents per annum, commencing on the 4th of March 1836, and terminating on the 4th of March, 1841, unless the Pensioner married or died before the above mentioned date, in which case the pension is not payable after the time of such marriage or death.

Given at the War Office of the United States, this fourth day of June — one thousand eight hundred and Forty Seven.

W. L. Marcy
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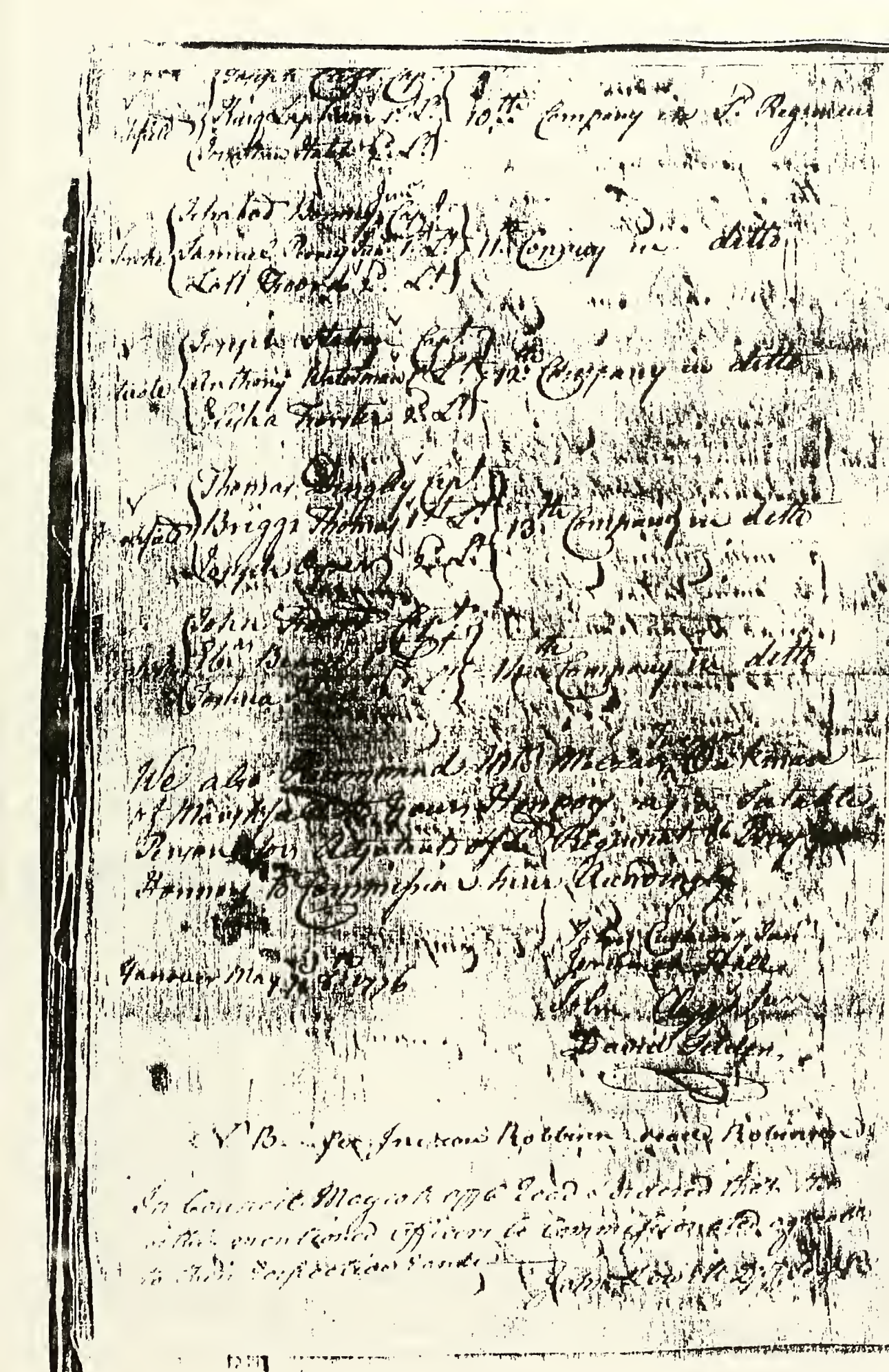

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THE ANNALS OF OXFORD

BY MARQUIS FAYETTE KING
published by New England Historical Press
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Much of the Keen genealogy (our lineage) is written on pages 213-216. This book can be found in most Maine libraries. I found this in the Augusta, Maine State Library (Robert R. Keen - 1992)

KEEN.

JOSHUA KEEN deposed in 1815, that he was 84 years of age, that in June, 1780, he was in Shepardsfield, for the purpose of taking land, and was informed by John Greenwood, the agent of Mr. Shepard, who accompanied him, that a lot he wanted, had already been taken by Asa Bearce and further, he was knowing to the said Bearce's falling trees on the lot in 1782. Mr. Keen came from Pembroke, Mass. and this deposition proves him to have been one of the first settlers of Hebron. He was a Lieutenant in Capt. Ford's, Pembroke co. in 1776, and Sprague Keen, whose name appears in the army rolls of 1779, age 20, light complexion, 5ft 7in, stature, was most likely, his son. In 1801, he sold to his son Nathaniel one undivided half, in common, of the south west ends of lots 1 and 2 of the 8th range, probably his homestead, although he appears to have had other holdings in Hebron. He m. Dec. 14, 1756, Abigail Eams, who was b. Mar. 29, 1736, and d. Oct. 25, 1823. He was b. Dec. 14, 1730, and d. Feb. 10, 1823.

A family record has not been found, but sons Joshua and Nathaniel lived in Hebron, and the following, with same surname, resident of Hebron at the date of marriage, were probably his children.

Abigail, m. April 1, 1784, Asa Thurlow.
Thankful, m. 1785, Jeremiah Hodgdon of Two Rivers.
Mary, m. July 4, 1798, Daniel Hutchinson.
Hannah, m. Dec. 1, 1801, John Cox.

SNOW KEEN, Jr. son of Snow and Rebecca (Burbank) Keen of Pembroke, is credited with service in the Revolution; he evidently came to Shepardsfield with Joshua, and had the other ends of lots 1 and 2 of the 8th range, and "bounded southeasterly on Sylvester line".

By wife Sarah, he had, as per Hebron records; Deborah Bradford, b. Sept. 18, 1795; Betty, b. Sept. 29, 1798, m. 1819, Adnah Gilmore of Turner; Snow, b. Feb. 28, 1801, d. young; Moses, b. Sept. 6, 1805; Snow, b. Dec. 13, 1808, and Asa, b. July 7, 1812.

He m. 2d, 1822, Sophronia Norris Maxim of Turner.

JAMES KEEN of Shepardsfield and Sarah Newman of New Gloucester, pub. their int. of marriage, 1782. A pension was granted to him in 1818, for service in Mass. line, he then being 70 years of age.

JOSHUA KEEN, Jr. son of Joshua, had lot 2 in the 3d range, a part of which he sold to Charles Bearce, in 1795; wife Lydia joined in the conveyance. On the Mass. rolls of the soldiers of the Relvolution, and is described as 5ft. 6in. in stature, light complexion, and 19 years of age in 1779.

Children;

Priscilla, b. Aug. 9, 1781, m. Seth Crooker.
Lydia, b. July 25, 1783. Joshua, b. July 3, 1785.
Seth, b. July 3, 1787. Bethia, b. July 24, 1789, m. Oct. 30, 1808, Robert Snell Jr. of Poland. Abigail, b. Oct. 11, 1791. Dolly, b. Feb. 15, 1794. Sprague, b. Nov. 27, 1796. Charlotte, b. Aug. 22, 1799, d. Nov. 9, 1800. Ozin, b. Oct. 22, 1801. Charlotte, b. Aug. 8, 1806.

NATHANIEL KEEN, son of Joshua, was b. Mar. 27, 1777, m. May 12, 1802, Lydia, dau. of Joseph Hutchinson; settled in Hebron, having children as follows:

Abigail, b. Aug. 8, 1803, m. 1825, Benjamin Jenkins of Buckfield.
Stephen, b. July 22, 1805, d. Sept. 15, following.
A daughter, b. Aug. 18, 1806, d. the same day.
Rebecca, b. Sept. 18, 1807, m. James Fogg.
Sarah, b. April 16, 1810, m. John Brown.
Nancy M,. b. April 12, 1812, d. Sept. 20, 1813.
Nathaniel, b. Aug. 19, 1814, m. Adeline Keen of Poland.
Daniel H., b. Sept. 3, 1816, m. Charlotte Hutchinson.
Joseph H., b. Oct. 27, 1818, m. Adeline Leighton.
Isaac Hildamus, b. Aug. 21, 1821, d. July 4, 1842.
Samuel, b. Mar. 6, 1824, m. Olive Russell of Poland.
Lydia Hutchinson, b. Jan. 22, 1827, m. Isaac Whittemore Marshall of Hebron.
Christopher Columbus Tobie, (Rev.) m. Martha Boody; he d. at Otisfield in 1901.

PETER and CLARISSA KEEN are credited in Hebron with Rufus D., b. April 2, 1821; Levi D., b. Jan. 7, 1823, and Lewis D., b. Feb. 6, 1824,

JOSHUA KEEN, 3d., son of Joshua, Jr. lived (95) in Oxford; m. Dec. 30, 1807, Mary, dau. of Ebenezer Drake.

Children:

Diana, b. May 26, 1809, m. Oct. 29, 1826, Geo. Tarbox.
Patty, b. Feb. 6, 1811.
Simon S., b. April 17, 1813, m. July 13, 1836, Emily D. Elwell; they had born in Oxford, Sarah R., b. 1837; Diantha E., b. 1839, and Edwin, b. 1844.
Joshua, b. Sept. 19, 1815, lived five days.
Joshua Newell, b. Feb. 25, 1817, d. April 8, 1819.
Ozin G., b. Jan. 22, 1820, m. June 13, 1843, Philena K. Snell of Poland; they had b. in Oxford, James F., b. Mar. 8, 1847, and George A., b. Dec. 1, 1848.
Joshua N., b. Feb. 5, 1824. Nathaniel, b. Apr. 18, 1828.
Alpheus Drake, b. 1830, m. May 11, 1853, Mrs. Chloe R. Elliot of Oxford; they had Chloe Emogene, b. Apr. 11, 1854; Ruth Ella, b. Aug. 6, 1857, m. Jedediah Keen of Mechanic Falls, and Mary, b. Nov. 24, 1859.
Mother died Nov. 25, 1860.
Lawson M., b. 1833.

SETH KEEN, son of Joshua, Jr. lived (99) in Oxford; m. Dec. 29, 1810, Sally, dau. of Zacheus Rowe; he d. Feb. 16, 1841. Children:

Nathaniel, b. Jan. 23, 1812, d. Feb. 8, 1813.
Lydia, b. Dec. 23, 1813, m. Dec. 3, 1846, Albion K. P. Elwell of Oxford.
Seth, b. Aug. 17, 1815, m. Nov. 7, 1837, Susan F. Emery of Oxford.
Sprague, b. April 22, 1817, m. Nov. 28, 1838, Delphina Steadman; s. Harrison.
Hannah M., b. Jan. 24, 1819, m. Dec. 31, 1843, Charles F. White of Oxford
Harriet Rowena, b. July 13, 1820, m. Dec. 3, 1846, Jeremiah A. Rich.
Reuben Loring, b. June 27, 1821, m. Oct. 29, 1844, Jane W. Cobb of Otisfield.
Lemuel C., b. Mar. 25, 1823.
Samuel M., b. ---- 29, 1824, m. Nov. 30, 1849, Susan Clarinda Archibald of Poland.
Martha M., m. William Henry Steadman.
George, b. 1832.

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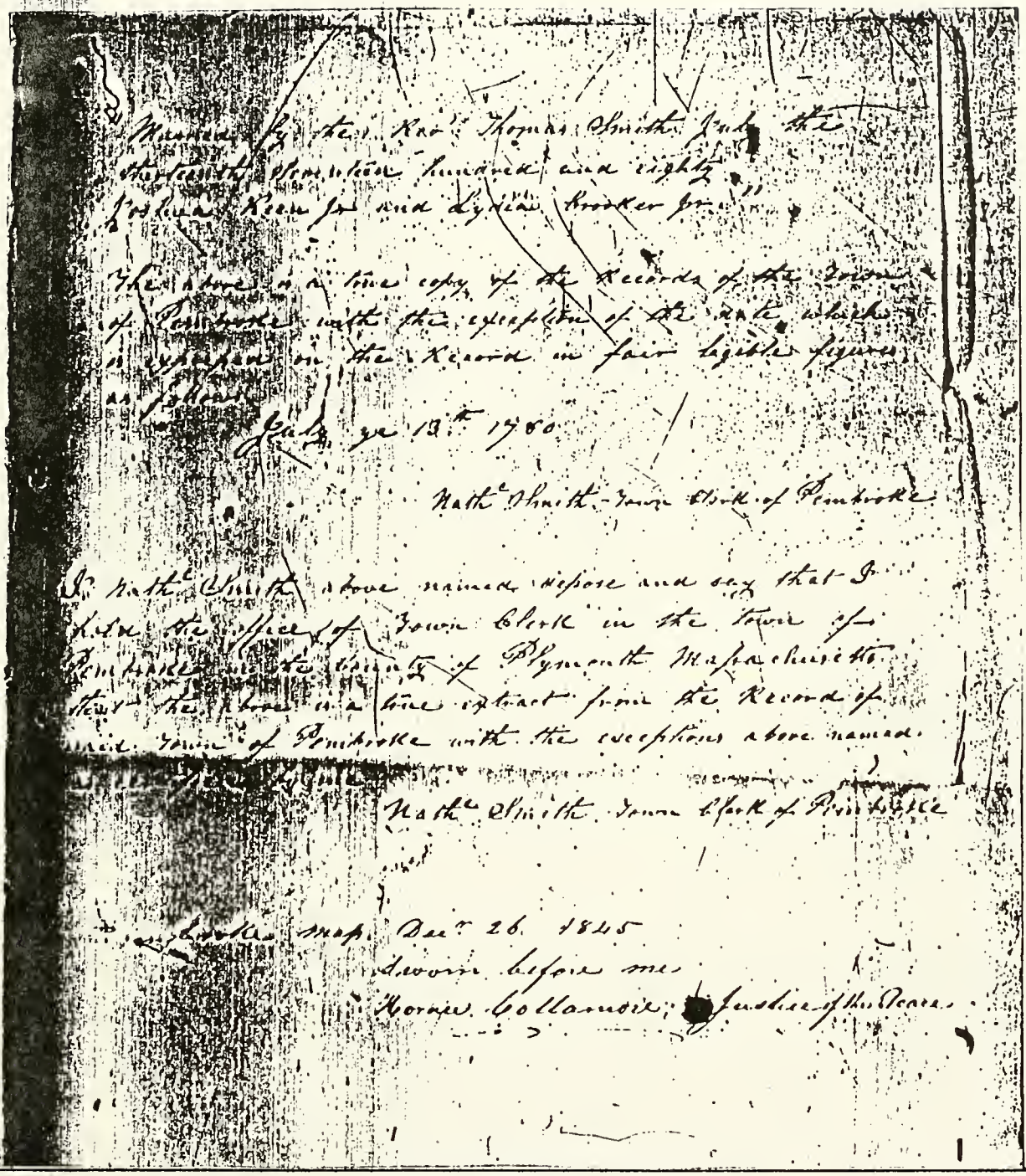
Edmund Hayes settled just north of Oxford village. Robert Hilborn of Burlington, N. J., moved from Portland to Hebron about 1787, but soon removed into Minot. John Hicks, Thomas Hill and Henry Holbrook occupied pioneer lots here. Seth T. the son of Henry Holbrook, became a prominent stock dealer and breeder, and a highly respected citizen. Job Holmes, and his sons, Job Jr., Thomas, Bartlett and James were land holders in Hebron, the father having bought lot 9, range 6, 2d div. in 1786, and the three latter bought lots in the vicinity in 1797. Alfred Hood, a prominent citizen, came to Craigie's Mills before 1820. Joseph Hutchinson, son of Stephen, a soldier of the Revolution, and father of Rev. Joseph, was an early settler in Hebron.

Josiah Jackson and Samuel Jenkins, Jr., probably came to the town early in the last century. Wm. Jordan settled near the Otisfield line.

Joshua Keen was in Shepardsfield in 1780 for the purpose of selecting a homestead. He came from Pembroke, Mass. Snow Keen, Jr., from the same town, evidently came with Joshua. Joshua Jr., Nathaniel, and probably Sprague Keen, were sons of Joshua. All of these men served in the Continental Army. Col. Samuel Hall King, born in Paris in 1799, probably came to Craigie's Mills about 1820. He was a colonel in the U. S. Army, from which he was honorably discharged in 1833. His family removed to Portland in 1845. A son, Marquis Fayette King, has served as mayor of Portland, and four years on the governor's council. Dr. Henry M., another son, is an eminent divine. Alonzo King

Note at the bottom of this page that Marquis Fayette King is mentioned. He wrote the "Annals of Oxford", a history of the County of Oxford, Maine, which has much about Keen family.

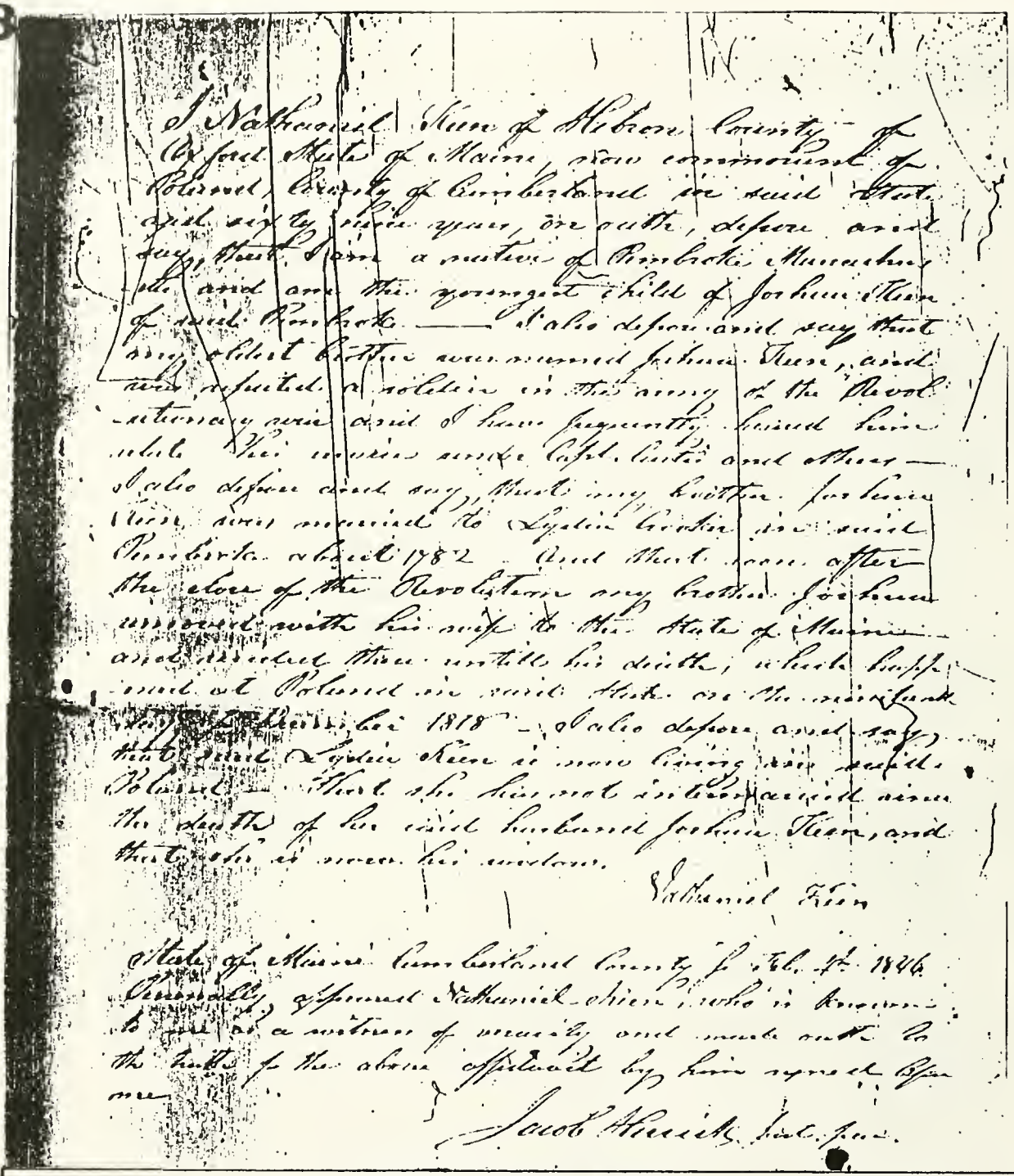


FROM THE NATIONAL ARCHIVES
MARRIAGE RECORD OF JOSHUA KEEN, jr AND LYDIA CROOKER, jr

"Married by the Rev. Thomas Smith July the thirteenth Seventeen hundred and Eighty Joshua Keen Jr and Lydia Crooker Jr."
The above is a true copy of the Records of the Town of Pembroke with the exception of the date which is expressed on the Record in fair legible figures as follows

July ye 13th 1780
Nath c Smith
Town Clerk of Pemhroke

I Nath c Smith above named depose and say that I hold the office of Town Clerk in the Town of Pembroke in the County of Plymouth Massachusetts that the above is a true extract from the Record of said Town of Pembroke with the exceptions above named as certified by me.
Pembroke map Dec r 26, 1845 Sworn before me Horace Collamore Justice of Peace



I Nathaniel Keen of Hebron County of Oxford State of Maine, now commonest of Poland, County of Cumberland in said State aged sixty nine years, on oath, depose and say that I am a native of Pembroke Massachusetts and am the youngest child of Joshua Keen of said Pembroke — I also depose and say that my oldest brother was named Joshua Keen, and was reputed a soldier in the army of the Revolutionary war and I have frequently heard him relate his service under Capt. Curtis and others — I also depose and say that my brother Joshua Keen was married to Lydia Crooker in said Pembroke about 1782 — And that soon after the close of the Revolution my brother Joshua removed with his wife to the State of Maine and resided there untill his death, which happened at Poland in said State on the nineteenth day of December 1818 — I also depose and say that said Lydia Keen is now living in said Poland — That she has not intermarried since the death of her said husband Joshua Keen, and that she is now his widow.

Nathaniel Keen

State of Maine Cumberland County Fe. Feb. 4th 1846. Personally appeared Nathaniel Keen, who is known to me as a witness of veracity and made oath to the truth of the above affidavit by him signed before me.

Jacob Herrick Just. Peace

FROM THE NATIONAL ARCHIVES

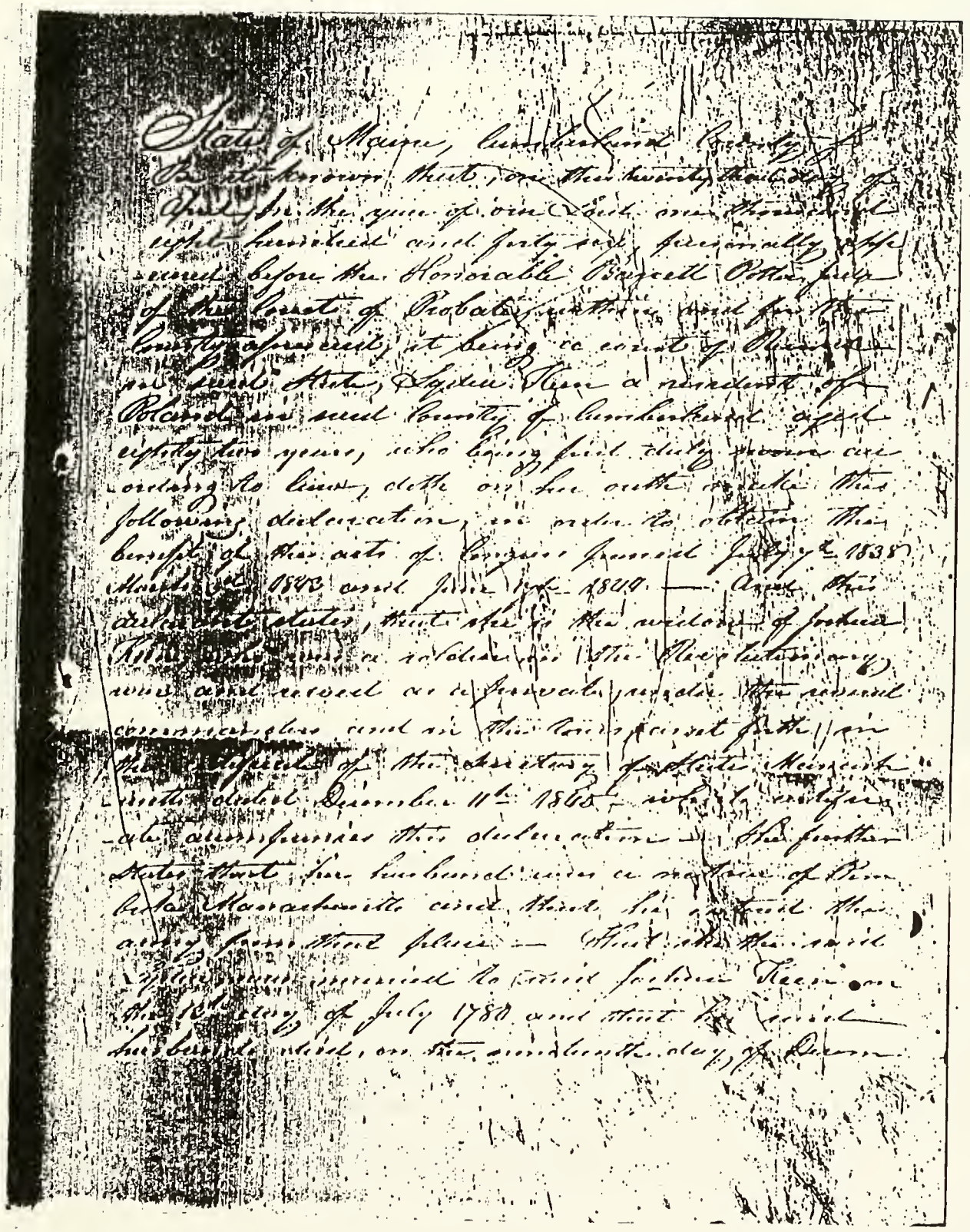
A DEPOSITION OF NATHANIEL KEEN (BROTHER OF JOSHUA jr)

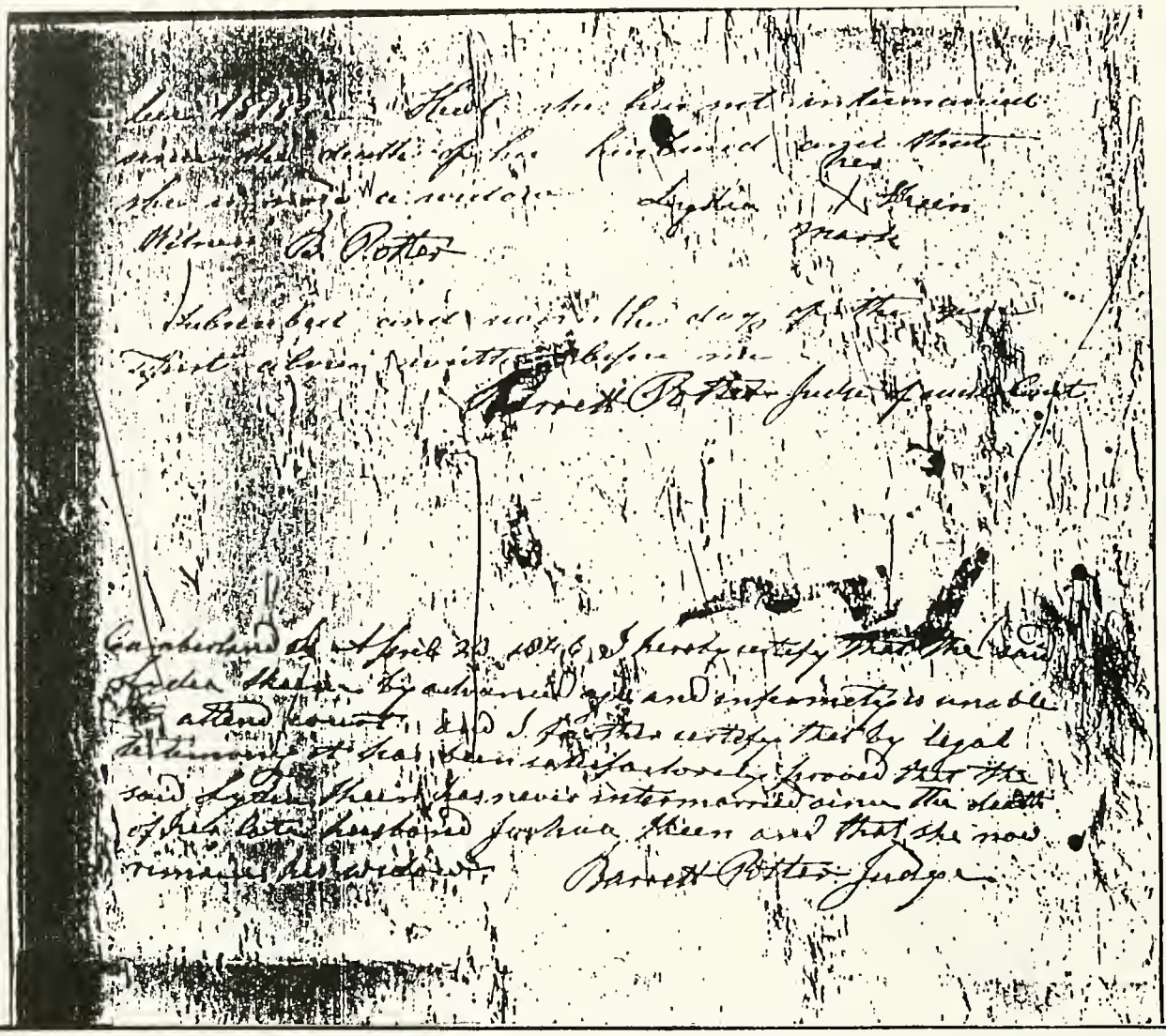
I Nathaniel Keen of Hebron, County of Oxford State of Maine, now common??? of Poland, County of Cumberland in said state aged sixty nine years, on oath, depose and say that I am a native of Pembroke Massachusetts and am the youngest child of Joshua Keen of said Pembroke — I also depose and say that my oldest brother was named Joshua Keen, and was re??? a soldier in the army of the Revolutionary war and I have frequently heard him relate his service under Capt. Curtis and others — I also depose and say that my brother, Joshua Keen was married to Lydia Crooker in said Pembroke about 1782 — and most soon after the close of the Revolution my brother Joshua moved with his wife to the State of Maine -- and resided there until his death, which happened at Poland In said State on the nineteenth day of December 1818 -- I also depose and say that said Lydia Keen is now living in said Poland -- that she has not remarried since the death of her said husband Joshua Keen, and that she is now his widow.

Nathaniel Keen

State of Maine Cumberland County on Feb. 4th, 1846. Personally affirmed Nathaniel Keen, who is known to me as a witness of veracity and mark well(?) to the truth of the above affidavit by him signed before me.

Jacob Herrick Just. Peace





OBTAINED FROM THE NATIONAL ARCHIVES
A SWORN STATEMENT THAT LYDIA KEEN WAS THE WIDOW OF JOSHUA KEEN

State of Maine, Cumberland County, Be it known that on this twenty third day of April In the year of our Lord one thousand and eight hundred and forty six, personally appeared before the Honorable Barrett Potter, Judge of the Court of Probate within and for the County aforesaid, it being a court of Record in said State, Lydia Keen a resident of Poland in said County of Cumberland aged eighty two years, who being first duly sworn according to law, doth on her oath make this following declaration in order to obtain the benefit of the acts of Congress joined July 7th 1838 March 3d 1843 and June 7th 1844 --- And this declarant states that she is the widow of Joshua Keen, who was a soldier in the Revolutionary War and served as a private, under the several commanders and in the laws? set forth in the certificate of the Secretary of State ??? (unable to read name) -- which dated December 11th 1845 which certificate accompanies this declaration — She further states that he husband was a native of Pembroke Massachusetts and that he entered Mass. army from that place That he wed said Lydia was married to ??? Joshua Keen on the 13th day of July 1780 and that he said husband died on the nineteenth day of December 1818. That she has not intermarried since the death of her husband and that she is now a widow.

Lydia X Keen
mark

Winess B. Potter

Subscribed and sworn this day of the year First above witness before me Barrett Potter Judge of said Court Cumberland April 23, 1846 I hereby certify that the said Lydia Keen by advanced age and infirmities is unable to attend court. And I further certify that by legal testimony it had been satisfactorily proven that the said Lydia Keen never intermarried since the death of her late husband Joshua Keen and that she now remains his widow. Barrett Potter Judge

HEADS OF FAMILIES - MASSACHUSETTS
FIRST UNITED STATES CENSUS - 1790

KEEN	MALES 16 OR OVER	MALES 16 OR UNDER	FEMALES	TOWN
EBENEZER	1	0	1	ABINGDON
LEMUEL	1	1	4	BRIDGEWATER
BENJAMIN	1	1	6	BRIDGEWATER
LOT	2	5	2	DUXBOROUGH (DUXBURY)
ISAAC	1	2	8	"
MARK	1	0	2	"
SIMEON	5	2	3	MARSHFIELD
SETH	2	1	3	MIDDLEBOROUGH
ISAAC	1	2	2	PEMBROKE
ABIGAIL	0	1	2	PEMBROKE
DESIRE	1	0	3	PEMBROKE
LOT	1	6	2	PEMBROKE
JOSEPH	2	1	7	PEMBROKE
ASA	2	0	2	PEMBROKE
NATHANIEL (1)	1	1	2	PEMBROKE
ISAIAH	1	1	5	PEMBROKE
WILLIAM	1	2	2	PLYMOUTH
JOHN	4	2	7	ROCHESTER

HEADS OF FAMILIES - MAINE
FIRST UNITED STATES CENSUS - 1790

KEENE	MALES 16 OR OVER	MALES 16 OR UNDER	FEMALES	TOWN
JOSHUA KEENE	3	1	6	
SNOW KEENE	2	0	8	

Massachusetts became a settlement in 1620 and became a state on February 6, 1788. The area was originally classified as colonial lands by England.

Maine became a territory (settled) around 1625 and became a state on March 15, 1820. Maine was originally Massachusetts and Canadian lands claimed by England.

HEADS OF FAMILIES—MAINE.

Summary of population, by counties, towns, etc.: 1790.

CUMBERLAND COUNTY.

TOWN.	Number of families.	Free white males of 16 years and upward, including heads of families.	Free white males under 16 years.	Free white females, including heads of families.	All other free persons.	Total.
Bakerstown plantation	110	202	364	613	.....	1,209
Bridgton	69	100	81	147	1	329
Brunswick	197	355	328	640	14	1,357
Bucktown plantation	68	96	146	211	.....	453
Butterfield plantation	35	49	55	85	.....	189
Cape Elizabeth	231	341	324	683	8	1,356
Durham	116	163	214	344	3	724
Falmouth	446	648	814	1,504	28	2,994
Flintstown plantation	37	54	48	88	.....	190
Freeport	230	322	342	654	2	1,320
Gorham and Scarborough	786	1,108	1,134	2,186	47	4,475
Gray	290	148	139	290	.....	577
Harpswell	217	253	268	539	11	1,071
New Gloucester	297	329	338	694	6	1,358
North Yarmouth	314	474	505	985	14	1,978
Ottsfield plantation	32	56	46	95	.....	197
Plantation No. 4	77	89	101	154	.....	344
Portland	366	564	537	1,123	16	2,240
Raymondtown plantation	52	81	92	170	3	346
Rusfield gore	20	22	30	50	.....	102
Scarborough (see Gorham and Scarborough).						
Shepardsfield plantation	83	126	140	261	1	528
Standish	123	183	186	346	1	716
Turner	57	87	104	158	.....	349
Waterford plantation	36	55	32	73	.....	160
Windham	152	228	265	444	1	938
Total	4,342	6,214	6,633	12,557	156	25,560

HANCOCK COUNTY.

TOWN.	Number of families.	Free white males of 16 years and upward, including heads of families.	Free white males under 16 years.	Free white females, including heads of families.	All other free persons.	Total.
Barrettstown	53	61	44	68	.....	173
Belfast	93	64	55	126	.....	245
Bluehill	55	69	70	125	1	274
Camden	69	93	85	153	.....	331
Canaan	27	34	39	59	.....	132
Condyskeeg plantation	103	145	170	249	3	567
Deer Isle	129	175	181	318	8	682
Ducktrap	51	78	82	118	.....	278
Eastern River township No. 2	54	59	63	118	.....	240
Eddy township	19	19	32	59	.....	110
Franklort	120	215	235	419	2	891
Gouldsborough	45	78	64	116	9	267
Isleborough	67	90	114	177	1	382
Mount Desert	132	191	207	345	1	744
Orphan Island	25	33	31	60	.....	124
Orrington	86	114	128	234	1	477
Penobscot	189	240	251	542	6	1,048
Sedgwick	100	144	155	270	.....	569
Small Islands not belonging to any town	18	19	17	30	.....	66
Sullivan	92	126	123	254	1	504
Trenton (including township No. 1, east side of Union river)	51	75	92	144	1	312
Township No. 1 (Bucks)	62	85	81	148	2	316
Township No. 6 (west side of Union river)	46	60	49	120	1	239
Vinalhaven	106	131	154	292	1	578
Total	1,796	2,436	2,531	4,544	38	9,549

LINCOLN COUNTY.

TOWN.	Number of families.	Free white males of 16 years and upward, including heads of families.	Free white males under 16 years.	Free white females, including heads of families.	All other free persons.	Total.
Balltown	156	229	258	425	.....	912
Bath	140	235	257	450	7	949
Boothbay	161	247	248	409	3	907
Bowdoin	203	237	204	408	15	984
Bowdoinham	73	109	127	218	1	455
Bristol	75	115	143	257	1	516
Canaan	81	99	132	221	.....	452
Carratunk	25	31	35	39	.....	105
Carrs plantation, or Unity	27	32	34	62	.....	127
Chester plantation	15	21	19	27	.....	70
Cushing	140	256	235	451	.....	942
Edgecomb	133	183	159	413	.....	755
Fairfield	98	122	114	222	.....	458
Georgetown	206	315	322	655	11	1,333
Great Pond plantation	30	43	52	69	.....	164
Greene	92	102	100	173	.....	375
Hallowell	184	314	285	553	12	1,194
Hancock	61	83	64	130	1	278
Hunts Meadow	11	15	21	32	.....	68
Jones plantation	40	63	63	119	11	256
Lewistown and gore adjoining	73	127	145	260	.....	532
Little River	13	17	15	32	.....	64
Littleborough plantation	58	71	69	127	7	274
Livermore, east side of Androscoggin river	11	15	8	21	.....	44
Meduncook	49	89	79	153	.....	321
New Castle	131	223	222	448	3	896
New Sandwich	64	91	65	140	.....	296
Nobleborough	231	312	347	544	3	1,206
Norridgewock	83	91	89	152	1	333
Norridgewock, settlement east of	11	11	12	20	.....	43
Pittston	102	135	281	281	7	704
Pownalborough	330	535	535	969	4	2,043
Prescotts and Whitchers plantation	13	12	8	11	1	32
Rockmecko, east side of river	26	28	7	24	.....	69
Sandy river, first township	98	141	127	224	2	494
Sandy river, from its mouth to Carrs plantation	67	77	96	160	1	334
Sandy river, middle township	14	17	15	33	.....	65
Sandy river, upper township	10	18	17	24	.....	59
Seven Mile Brook	40	41	34	62	1	138
Smithtown plantation	109	142	126	240	1	509
Starling plantation	53	58	31	77	.....	166
Thomaston	139	207	209	379	4	799
Titcomb	29	34	36	76	.....	146
Topsham	118	215	203	398	10	826
Twenty-five Mile Pond	30	33	27	59	.....	149
Union	42	52	50	94	3	199
Vassalborough	197	301	317	624	11	1,253
Waldoborough	209	429	454	821	13	1,717
Wales plantation	92	115	120	204	.....	439
Warren	106	307	148	178	13	646
Washington	149	169	139	312	.....	620
Winslow, with its adjacents	109	204	225	367	1	797
Winthrop	252	304	329	591	2	1,226
Woolwich	128	206	189	391	1	787
Between Norridgewock and Seven Mile Brook	26	28	46	73	.....	147
Total	5,389	7,769	7,751	14,052	151	29,723

WASHINGTON COUNTY.

TOWN.	Number of families.	Free white males of 16 years and upward, including heads of families.	Free white males under 16 years.	Free white females, including heads of families.	All other free persons.	Total.
Bucks Harbor Neck	12	14	18	29	.....	61
Machias	177	229	210	372	7	818
Plantations east of Machias—						
No. 1	15	18	16	32	.....	66
No. 2	33	41	30	67	6	144
No. 4	11	16	13	25	.....	54
No. 5	14	24	26	31	.....	84
No. 8	54	75	60	109	.....	244
No. 9	7	9	7	14	.....	30
No. 10	11	14	5	23	.....	42
No. 11	7	8	10	19	.....	37
No. 12	10	13	15	26	.....	54
No. 13	1	1	5	1	.....	7
Plantations west of Machias—						
No. 4	40	71	59	103	.....	233
No. 5	33	45	49	83	.....	177
No. 6	46	50	55	96	.....	207
No. 11	16	22	24	49	.....	95
No. 12	3	4	1	3	.....	8
No. 13	43	51	61	105	6	223
No. 22	31	43	44	87	1	175
Total	564	754	708	1,277	20	2,759

FIRST CENSUS OF THE UNITED STATES.

Summary of population, by counties, towns, etc.: 1790—Continued.

YORK COUNTY.

TOWN.	Number of families.	Free white males of 16 years and upward, including heads of families.	Free white males under 16 years.	Free white females, including heads of families.	All other free persons.	Total.
Arundel	259	367	380	709	11	1,458
Berwick	665	983	922	1,947	42	3,894
Biddeford	169	273	235	504	6	1,018
Brownfield township	26	39	37	68	2	146
Brownfield township—in to gore adjoining	1	6	5	9	.....	20
Buxton	238	357	402	746	3	1,508
Coxhall	100	165	229	371	.....	765
Francisborough plantation	79	98	101	210	.....	409
Fryeburgh	88	141	138	270	1	550
Hiram	18	22	29	41	.....	92
Kittery	611	769	714	1,736	10	3,250
Lebanon	224	310	344	642	.....	1,296
Limerick	71	99	110	200	.....	409
Little Falls	115	159	147	301	.....	607
Little Ossipee	129	141	200	318	.....	662
New Penacook	18	23	13	41	.....	77
Parsonsfield	132	174	169	311	.....	654
Pepperellborough	229	342	358	650	.....	1,350
Porterfield	16	23	14	34	.....	71
Sanford	316	450	473	876	.....	1,799
Shapleigh	227	310	371	630	9	1,320
Sudbury-Canada	60	82	89	153	.....	324
Sudbury, settlements adjoining	12	17	13	21	.....	51
Sunecook	16	22	25	36	.....	83
Washington plantation	58	72	51	138	.....	261
Waterborough	174	229	277	465	.....	971
Waterford	31	45	35	74	.....	154
Wells	504	827	733	1,495	15	3,070
York	504	751	605	1,518	26	2,900
Total	5,087	7,299	7,219	14,505	155	29,178

Assistant marshals for the state: 1790.

DISTRICT.	NAME.
Cumberland county (part of)—Brigton, Standish, and Turner towns; Bakerstown, Bucktown, Butterfield, Flintstown, No. 4, Shepardsfield, and Waterford plantations; and Rusfield gore.	None given.
Cumberland county (part of)—Brunswick, Durham, Freeport, Harpswell, and North Yarmouth towns.	Henry Dearborn
Cumberland county (part of)—Cape Elizabeth, Falmouth, Gray, and New Gloucester towns.	William Hobby.
Cumberland county (part of)—Gorham and Scarborough towns.	Samuel Pierson.
Cumberland county (part of)—Windham town; and Otisfield and Raymondtown plantations.	David Barker.
Cumberland county (part of)—Portland town.	John Hobby.
Hancock county—Barrettstown, Belfast, Bluehill, Camden, Canaan, Deer Isle, Ducktrap, Frankfort, Gouldsborough, Isleborough, Mount Desert, Orrington, Penobscot, Sedgwick, Sullivan, Trenton (including township No. 1 east side of Union river), and Vinalhaven towns; Eastern river township No. 2, Eddy township, township No. 1 (Bucks), and township No. 6 (west side of Union river); Conduskeeg plantation; and Orphan Island, and small islands not belonging to any town.	David Howe.
Lincoln county (part of)—Bailtown town and Great Pond plantation.	Stuart Hunt.
Lincoln county (part of)—Bath, Boothbay, Bowdoinham, Edgecomb, Georgetown, Hallowell, Hunts Meadow, New Castle, Pittston, Townalborough, Topsham, and Woolwich towns.	Henry Dearborn (marshal).
Lincoln county (part of)—Bristol, Nobleborough, and Walpoleborough towns.	John Polerezeky.
Lincoln county (part of)—Bowdoin, Canaan, Carratunk, Fairfield, Hancock, Lewistown and gore adjoining, Little River, Norridgewock, Seven Mile Brook, Twenty-five Mile Pond, and Winslow (with its adjacents) towns; Sandy river, first, Sandy river, from its mouth to Carrs plantation; Sandy river, middle, Sandy river, upper, and Titcomb townships; Carrs or Unity, Chester, and Prescotts and Whitchers plantations; and settlement east of Norridgewock; and between Norridgewock and Seven Mile Brook.	John Chandler
Lincoln county (part of)—Cushing, Medumcook, Thomaston, Union, and Warren towns.	Thurston Whiting.
Lincoln county (part of)—Greene, Livermore (east side of Androscoggin river), New Sandwich, Rockmeeko (east side of river), Washington and Winthrop towns; and Littleborough, Smithtown, Starling, and Wales plantations.	Simon Dearborn.
Lincoln county (part of)—Vassalborough town and Jones plantation.	Samuel Grant.
Washington county—Bucks Harbor Neck, and Machias towns; plantations east of Machias, Nos. 1, 2, 4, 5, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, and 13; and plantations west of Machias, Nos. 1, 5, 6, 11, 12, 13, and 22.	Ja. Avery.
York county (part of)—Arundel, Biddeford, Little Falls, Little Ossipee, Wells, and York towns.	Henry Dearborn (marshal)
York county (part of)—Berwick, Lebanon, Limerick, Parsonsfield, and Shapleigh towns; and Francisborough, and Washington plantations.	Daniel Wood.
York county (part of)—Hiram, New Penacook, Porterfield, Sudbury-Canada, Sunecook, and Waterford towns; Brownfield township, gore adjoining Brownfield, and settlements adjoining Sudbury.	Philip Page.
York county (part of)—Buxton town.	Peter Ayer.
York county (part of)—Coxhall, Sanford, and Waterborough towns.	Abraham Annis.
York county (part of)—Kittery town.	Jeremiah Leavitt.
York county (part of)—Pepperellborough town.	Humphrey Pike.
York county (part of)—Fryeburgh town.	None given.

Although there were other Keen(e) families in Maine, we are interested in Joshua Keen(e) jr and his uncle, Snow Keene who are listed in the Cumberland County 1790 Census at Shepardsfield Plantation. This is another case of misspelled names by the census taker or maybe they did not know the spelling. In any case, I added the jr to distinguish him from his father. The one we are interested in (G-6) who settled in what later became Hebron. Both men were farmers and had big families. Joshua's children were all born in Hebron according to VR Maine Archives (Augusta).

FIRST CENSUS OF THE UNITED STATES.

CUMBERLAND COUNTY—Continued.

NAME OF HEAD OF FAMILY.	Free white males of 16 years and upward, including heads of families.	Free white males under 16 years.	Free white females, including heads of families.	All other free persons.	Slaves.
PORTLAND TOWN—continued.					
Poor, Samuel	1	1	2		
Toby, Samuel	1	2	5		
Shaw, Josiah	1	2	4		
Patterson, John	1	2			
Chellis, Joseph	2	2	5		
Prior, James	1	4	1		
Brown, William	2	2	4		
Seymour, John	4	2	2		
Baker, John	1	1	3		
Fabroe, Peeler	1	5	3		
Harn, Shadrick	3		4		
Bailey, Joseph	1		2		
Daily, Emour	1		3		
Motley, Thomas	5	6	6		
Stone, Hannah		2	3		
Bond, William	1	2	4	1	
Goodwin, Richard	2	2	3		
Broad, Ephraim	1		2		
Webster, Thomas	1	2	3		
Hopkins, Thomas	2	4	8		
Blasdell, Susanna	1	1	5		
Kimbal, Jeremiah	2	2	2		
Clemmons, Joseph	1	1	2		
Cross, Ralf	4	2	2		
M Leilan, William	2	3	5		
Storer, Ebenezer	1	1	5		
Mussy, John	3	3	2		
Titcomb, Benjamin	2	1	3		
Leatherby, John	1	6	3		
Cole, John	1	1	1		
Cox, Sarah		1	2		
Crandall, Philip	1		2		
Aspinwall, Caleb	1	2	2		
Brazier, Daniel	1	1	2		
Wiswall, John	1	1	2		
Churchwell, Seth	1		1		
Fosdick, James	1	4	3		
Oxnerd, Edward	1	1	2		
Willson, Joseph	1	4	2		
Curtis, John	1	3	5		
Riggs, Daniel	1		1		
Baocroft, John	1				
Oneal, John	1				
Pettingall, Eliphalet	1		1		
Freman, Joshua	6	3	1	1	
Knights, Samuel	1	4	3		
Cannnet, Paul	1	2	2		
Mumford, Daniel	1		2		
Trott, Benjamin	2	1	2		
Woodberry, Samuel	2	1	3		
Cushing, Ezekiel	1	3	2		
Cushing, Jeremiah	2	3	2		
Cushiog, Mehitable			3		
RAYMONDTOWN PLANTATION.					
Dingley, Joseph	2	1	2		
West, Desper	2	1	7		
Leach, Mark	3	1	2		
Ring, Josiah	3		3		
Staples, Pertor	1	5	3		
Jackson, Henry	1	1	5		
Dingly, Samuel	2	3	2		
Jorden, James	1	1	2		
Jorden, Jonathan	1		4		
Welch, James	1	1	3		
Fowler, Moses	1		2		
Silvester, Zachariah	1	2	3		
Brackett, Daniel	1	1	5		
Whitney, Moses	2	1	1		
Gray, Lewis	1	3	3		
Mitchell, John	1	3	7		
Mann, Obediah	2	2	4		
Willbee, Thomas	1	1	2		
Tinney, Samuel	1	1	3		
Starbird, Moses	1	3	3		
Small, Daniel	1	2	1		
Small, George	3	3	4		
Small, James	1	1	1		
Jorden, Samuel	3	4	1		
Simonton, Jonathan	1	2	6		
Cash, John	2		5		
Smith, Benjamin	1	2	4		
Barton, Isaac	1	3	3		
Dyer, Ezekiel	1	2	1		
Crisp, Thomas	2	1	1		
Jorden, Roger	1	3	2		
Davis, John	3		5		
Davis, Gideon	1	2	5		
Davis, John	1	5	2		
Jorden, Hezekiah	1	2	2		
Small, Daniel	1	2	1		
Brown, Joseph	1	1	4		
Brown, Joshua	1	5	4		
Brown, Andrew	1	5	4		
RAYMONDTOWN PLANTATION—continued.					
Mayberry, Richard	2	1	3	2	
Jordeo, Dominicus	3	2	7		
Lowell, Dancy	1	2	2		
Sawyer, Jonathan	3	3	6		
Lomberde, John	1		4		
Jorden, Timothy	1		4		
Westson, James	1	1	2		
Edes, Thomas	1	1	2		
Spurr, William	1		2		
Beverly, David	3	1	1		
Rich, Ezekiel	5	3	6		
Anderson, Robert	1		1		
Greeley, John	2	2	5		
RUSFIELD GORE.					
Dicker, Will[m]	1	2	2		
Lasly, George	1	2	1		
Hobbs, Amos	1	1	3		
Stevens, Joseph	1	2	4		
Stevens, Jonas	3	2	6		
Stevens, Nath[l]	1	1	2		
Hobbs, Jeremiah	1	2	6		
Millet, John	1				
Witt, Benj[a]	1				
Lucus, Warren	1				
Perkins, Sam[l]	1	2	1		
Ames, Sam[l]	1		5		
Cowen, Tho[s]	1	3	3		
Pike, John	1	1	2		
Pike, Dudley	1	3	3		
Twichel, Moses	1	2	4		
Parsons, John	1	1			
Parsons, Will[m]	1	2	3		
Herring, Benj[a]	1	2	3		
Noble, Nathan	1	2	2		
SHEPARDSFIELD PLANTATION.					
Western, John	2		1		
Randall, Seth	1	1	4		
Fuller, Barzilla	1		3		
Cushman, Isaac	1	1	3		
Bearce, Asa	4	1	3		
Whittemore, Isaac	1	1	4		
Greenwood, John	3	1	5		
Mireck, Bazaliel	2	2	2		
Cushman, Caleb	1	1	2		
Cushman, Sarah		1	1		
Bignal, John	4	1	3		
Churchill, Josiah	1		1		
Pratt, Thaddeus	1	2	3		
Parish, Samuel	1	1	2	1	
Churchill, Jabez	1	3	1		
Brigham, Sam[l]	1		3		
Bearce, Gideon	2	1	3		
Keene, Joshua	3	1	6		
Keene, Snow	2		8		
Cox, Benja	2	2	5		
Merrill, Jahesh	1	1	3		
Cobb, Pelatiah	1	3	4		
Benson, Elnathan	4	3	3		
Benson, Jepthah	1	1	3		
Roo, Zaccheus	1	3	4		
Drake, Ebenezer	1	2	2		
Drake, John	1	2	2		
Craft, Sam[l]	1		2		
Packer, Edward	1		2		
Churchill, Will[m]	1	1	2		
Buckman, Dan[l]	1	2	3		
Robinson, Elijah	6		4		
Dean, Abraham	1		3		
Dean, Zadock	1		1		
Sole, James	1	2	1		
Perkins, Joseph	1	2	3		
Thayer, Ruth		4	1		
Holmes, Job	3	1	1		
Richmond, Eliab	1	4	6		
Cordwell, John	3	1	4		
Cushman, Zebadiah	2	2	3		
Cushman, Job	2	2	7		
Fuller, Nath[l]	3	1	5		
Cushman, Joseph	1	1	2		
Bullings, Dan[l]	1	1	2		
Heaton, Elijah	1	2	3		
Tucker, Lemuel	1	2	3		
Heaton, Richard	1	1	2		
Bartlet, Dan[l]	1	1	2		
Bartlet, Asa	1		1		
Lucus, Elkanah	1	2	3		
Lucus, Elnathan	1	2	3		
Thomas, Holmes	1	3	4		
Holmes, Jon[a]	1	2	2		
Holmes, James	1				
SHEPARDSFIELD PLANTATION—continued.					
Mason, Broadstreet	1	3	3		
Cushman, Gideon	1	4	4		
Packer, Reuben	2		3		
Packer, Ichabod	1	3	1		
Washburn, John	1	1	4		
Baker, Samuel	1	2	1		
L'Broke, James	1	2	2		
Barrows, Will[m]	2	3	5		
Barrows, Joseph	1		5		
Baker, Edmund	1		3		
Tobb, Jacob	1	3	3		
Glover, Robert	1	2	2		
Cary, Dan[l]	1	3	3		
Lebarran, James	1	1	2		
Landers, Stephen	1				
Jordan, James	1		1		
Ryals, Dan[l]	1	1	2		
Dudly, Nathan	1		4		
Pharls, James	1	3	2		
Fuller, Jesse	1	3	4		
Dunham, James	1	2	4		
Cane, Joshua, Ju[r]	1	2	4		
Bearce, Asa, Ju[r]	1		2		
Hill, Tho[s]	1	1	3		
Curtis, Noah	1	3	2		
House, Moses	1	3	3		
Perkins, Ebenezer	1	1	2		
Wilborn, Robert	2	5	4		
Whitmore, Sam[l]	1	2	2		
Bumpus, Morris	1	3	2		
Bumpus, Will[m]	1	3	2		
Bumpus, John	1		2		
Barrows, Ephraim	1	2	2		
Barrows, Benj[a]	2				
Barrows, Benj[a], Ju[r]	1		4		
Bumpus, Shubael	1	3	4		
Churchill, Joseph	1	1	2		
Curtis, Ashley	1	2	4		
STANDISH TOWN.					
Butterfield, Joseph	1	6	5		
Berry, Timothy	1	1	4		
Bolter, Nath[l]	2	1	3		
Bolter, Nath[l], Ju[r]	1		2		
Bolter, Benj[a]	1		1		
Cram, Dan[l]	4		2		
Cram, Dan[l], Ju[r]	2	3	2		
Cummins, John	1	1	3		
Cummins, Will[m]	1	2	4		
Cummins, Tho[s]	1	1	4		
Chase, Joseph	1	4	3		
Croxford, John	1	2	2		
Cookson, Reuben	2	3	7		
Camel, Phillip	4	2	5		
Dean, John	2	1	4		
Davis, James	1		6		
Dow, Jabez	1		2		
Dow, Joseph	1	3	2		
Dow, Abner	2	2	4		
Decker, John	1	2	4		
Eastman, Joh	1	1	2		
Freeman, George	2	2	4		
Haskel, Benj[a]	1	2	2		
Haskel, Jon[a]	1				
Hasty, Dan[l]	1	5	3		
Hasty, James	1	3	1	1	
Higgins, Ebenezer	1	2	5		
Higgins, Timothy	2	2	4		
Higgins, Robert	1		1		
Higgins, Will[m]	1				
Harmon, Dan[l]	1	4	3		
Harmon, Will[m]	1		4		
Harmon, Elliot	1	1	1		
Hopkins, Theodore	3		2		
Hall, John	1	5	4		
Hall, Will[m]	1		2		
Hall, Charles	1	1	4		
How, Dan[l]	3		2		
Jones, Ephraim	2	1	5		
Jones, Will[m]	2		2		
Jones, Ephraim, Jur	1	1	1		
Lowel, Dan[l]	4	2	5		
Lowel, Jon[a]	2	3	3		
Lionel, Enoch	2		5		
Linnel, Sam[l]	1	1	2		
Libby, Isaac	1	3	2		
Moulton, Peter	3	2	4		
Mussey, Theodore	3		3		
Morcan, John	2	3	1		
Moody, James	2	3	1		
Moody, Joshua	1	1	1		
Mitchel, Dominicus	2	3	3		
Martin, Bryan	1	3	1		
McGill, John	2	2	3		

HEADS OF FAMILIES 1800 CENSUS MASSACHUSETTS

ASA KEEN	PLYMOUTH COUNTY	p. 39	00001-00002-00 *
ASA KEEN, jr.	PLYMOUTH COUNTY	39	20010-20010-00
BENJAMIN KEEN	PLYMOUTH COUNTY	98	10020-10010-00
DESIAH KEEN (DESIRE?)	" "	39	00000-00001-00
EBENEZER KEEN	" "	38	00001-00001-00
EBENEZER KEEN	BRISTOL COUNTY	428	01001-00101-00
GALEN KEEN	PLYMOUTH COUNTY	40	00010-40100-00
ISAAC KEEN	" "	103	00101-00301-00
ISAAC KEEN	" "	40	01111-00011-00
ISAIAH KEEN	" "	40	00110-43110-00
JAMES KEEN	" "	39	00100-00100-00
JESSE KEEN	BRISTOL COUNTY	428	21010-01110-00
JOHN KEEN	PLYMOUTH COUNTY	108	00211-10111-00
JOSEPH KEEN	" "	39	00001-00021-00
JOSEPH KEEN, jr.	" "	39	10010-10010-00
LEMUEL KEEN	" "	39	00001-20101-00
LOT KEEN	" "	103	01101-10001-01
MOSES KEEN	NANTUCKET COUNTY	6	20010-00100-00
NATHANIEL KEEN	PLYMOUTH COUNTY	39	00001-00001-00
SIMEON KEEN	" "	91	10010-00010-00
WILLIAM KEEN	HAMPSHIRE COUNTY	22	21010-22010-00
SETH KEENE	PLYMOUTH COUNTY	97	12001-21001-00

* NUMBER CODE -- FIRST NUMBER MEANS ... SECOND NUMBER MEANS, ETC.
1. Number of males under 10 2. Number of males betw. 10-16 3. NUmber of males betw. 16-26 4. Number of males betw. 26-45 5. Number of males over 45 6. Number of females under 10 7. Number of females betw. 10-16 8. Number of females betw. 16-26 9. Number of females betw. 26-45 10. Number of females over 45 11. Number of free persons-except Indians not taxed 12. Number of slaves

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1800 MAINE CENSUS

ABNER KEEN	LINCOLN COUNTY	ME580	00110-11010-00
ABEL KEEN	LINCOLN COUNTY	ME426	00101-00001-00
BENJAMIN KEEN	LINCOLN COUNTY	ME580	11001-01010-00
DANIEL KEEN	LINCOLN COUNTY	ME569	00100-20100-00
HEZEKIAH KEEN	LINCOLN COUNTY	ME395	20101-10001-00
JACOB KEEN	LINCOLN COUNTY	ME571	20010-20010-00
JAMES KEEN	CUMBERLAND COUNTY	ME242	11101-11001-00
JAMES KEEN	LINCOLN COUNTY	ME569	00100-10101-00
JONAH KEEN	CUMBERLAND COUNTY	ME239	20010-00010-00
JOSHUA KEEN jr	CUMBERLAND COUNTY	ME225	12010-22010-00
JOSHUA KEEN	CUMBERLAND COUNTY	ME226	01101-00011-00
JOSIAH KEEN	LINCOLN COUNTY	ME560	00010-30010-00
JOHN KEEN	CUMBERLAND COUNTY	ME241	31010-22010-00
JOHN KEEN	CUMBERLAND COUNTY	ME184	10201-01101-00
JOHN KEEN	LINCOLN COUNTY	ME571	10010-20010-00
LEMUEL KEEN	CUMBERLAND COUNTY	ME243	21010-00010-00
MESHOK KEEN	CUMBERLAND COUNTY	ME242	32010-21010-00
SIMEON KEEN	HANCOCK COUNTY	ME342	11010-00020-00
SNOW KEEN	CUMBERLAND COUNTY	ME225	00001-00211-00
SNOW KEEN jr	CUMBERLAND COUNTY	ME225	10010-10010-00

1810 MASSACHUSETTS CENSUS HEADS OF FAMILIES

NAME	COUNTY	CENSUS #	TOWN
ASA KEEN	PLYMOUTH	056	PEMBROKE
BENJAMIN KEEN	PLYMOUTH	016	MARSHFIELD
CHARLES KEEN	PLYMOUTH	003	EAST PARISH
DANIEL KEEN	PLYMOUTH	056	PEMBROKE
EBENEZER KEEN	PLYMOUTH	056	PEMBROKE
EBENEZER KEEN	BRISTOL	296	NEW BEDFORD
EBENEZER KEEN jr	BRISTOL	296	NEW BEDFORD
ELIZABETH KEEN	BRISTOL	347	SOMERSET
FREEMAN KEEN	BARNSTABLE	073	SANDWICH
GALEN KEEN	PLYMOUTH	056	PEMBROKE
ICHABOD KEEN	PLYMOUTH	120	DUXBURY
ISAAC KEEN	PLYMOUTH	120	DUXBURY
ISAAC KEEN	PLYMOUTH	056	PEMBROKE
ISAAC KEEN jr	PLYMOUTH	056	PEMBROKE
ISAAC KEEN jr	PLYMOUTH	120	DUZBURY
ISAIAH KEEN	PLYMOUTH	056	PEMBROKE
JAMES KEEN	PLYMOUTH	056	PEMBROKE
JESSE KEEN	BRISTOL	296	NEW BEDFURD
JOHN KEEN	BARNSTABLE	073	SANDWICH
JOHN KEEN	PLYMOUTH	056	PEMBROKE
JOHN KEEN	PLYMOUTH	174	ROCHESTER
JOSEPH KEEN	PLYMOUTH	056	PEMBROKE
JOSEPH KEEN jr	PLYMOUTH	056	PEMBROKE
JOSEPHUS KEEN	BARNSTABLE	073	SANDWICH
JOSIAH L. KEEN	PLYMOUTH	005	HANOVER
LOTT KEEN	PLYMOUTH	056	PEMBROKE
MOSES KEEN	NANTUCKET	345	NANTUCKET
MOSES KEEN	BARNSTABLE	073	SANDWICH
NATHAN KEEN	SUFFOLK	184	BOSTON
NATHANIEL KEEN	PLYMOUTH	056	PEMBROKE
REUBEN KEEN	BRISTOL	296	NEW BEDFORD
SAMUEL KEEN	PLYMOUTH	003	EAST PARISH
SAMUEL KEEN	PLYMOUTH	003	EAST PARISH
SETH KEEN	PLYMOUTH	102	MIDDLEBORO
SOLOMAN KEEN	PLYMOUTH	120	DUXBURY
TUBAL KEEN	SUFFOLK	166	BOSTON
WILLIAM KEEN	PLYMOUTH	131	PLYMOUTH
WILLIAM KEEN	HAMPSHIRE	277	CHESTERFIELD

NOTE* NO JOSHUA KEEN IN MASSACHUSETTS IN 1810

NOTE* NO KEENE LISTED ON THIS CENSUS

1810 MAINE CENSUS HEADS OF FAMILIES

NAME	COUNTY	CENSUS #	TOWN
ABDON KEEN	LINCOLN	225	BRISTOL
ADEL KEEN	LINCOLN	261	NOBLEBORO
ABNER KEEN	LINCOLN	087	WALDOBORO
BENJAMIN KEEN	LINCOLN	143	APPLETON
BENJAMIN KEEN	YORK	741	LIMERICK
CHARLES KEEN	LINCOLN	087	WALDOBORO
DANIEL KEEN	LINCOLN	120	CAMDEN
DANIEL KEEN	LINCOLN	225	BRISTOL
ELEAZAR KEEN	KENNEBUNK	912	GREENE
GRENFIELD KEEN	OXFORD	408	TURNER
HANNAH KEEN	LINCOLN	225	BRISTOL
JACOB KEEN	LINCOLN	099	THOMASTON
JAMES KEEN	LINCOLN	120	CAMDEN
JAMES KEEN	OXFORD	431	HARTFORD
JEREMIAH KEEN	WASHINGTON	751	KITTERY
JOHN KEEN	OXFORD	408	TURNER
JOHN KEEN	LINCOLN	312	PALERMO
JOHN KEEN	LINCOLN	099	THOMASTON
JONATHAN KEEN	YORK	944	BERWICK
JOSEPH KEEN	YORK	944	BERWICK
JOSEPH KEEN	WASHINGTON	752	KITTERY
JOSEPH KEEN	WASHINGTON	751	KITTERY
JOSHUA KEEN	OXFORD	408	TURNER
JOSHUA KEEN jr	CUMBERLAND	372	POLAND
KET KEEN	LINCOLN	261	NOBLEBORO
PHILIP KEEN	LINCOLN	261	NOBLEBORO
REUBEN KEEN	LINCOLN	120	CAMDEN
ROBERT KEEN	LINCOLN	225	BRISTOL
SIMEON KEEN	HANCOCK	571	HAMPDEN
SIMON KEEN	WASHINGTON	751	KITTERY
THEODORE KEEN	WASHINGTON	751	KITTERY
WILLIAM KEEN	WASHINGTON	751	KITTERY
WILLIAM KEEN	LINCOLN	224	BRISTOL
WILLIAM KEEN	LINCOLN	261	NOBLEBORO
EPHRAIM KEENE	WASHINGTON	611	COLUMBIA
JARVIS KEENE	WASHINGTON	666	CALAIS
JOHN KEENE	KENNEBUNK	648	HALLOWELL
JONATHAN KEENE	KENNEBUNK	648	HALLOWELL
PRINCE KEENE	KENNEBUNK	700	MALTA

* NOTE SOME KEEN FAMILIES HAVE ADDED AN (E) KEENE.

* NOTE JOSHUA KEEN jr ONLY KEEN IN POLAND IN 1810.

1820 MASSACHUSETTS CENSUS HEADS OF FAMILIES

NAME	COUNTY	CENSUS#	TOWN
ABIGAIL KEEN	PLYMOUTH	137	PEMBROKE
ABRAHAM KEEN	BARNSTABLE	313	SANDWICH
ANN KEEN	BARNSTABLE	303	SANDWICH
ASA KEEN	PLYMOUTH	137	PEMBROKE
BENJAMIN KEEN	PLYMOUTH	153	MARSHFIELD
CHARLES KEEN	PLYMOUTH	145	PEMBROKE
CORNELIUS KEEN	PLYMOUTH	153	MARSHFIELD
ELISHA KEEN	PLYMOUTH	141	PEMBROKE
FREEMAN KEEN	BARNSTABLE	311	SANDWICH
GALIN KEEN	PLYMOUTH	130	DUXBURY
HENRY KEEN	BRIDGETON	238	SWANSEY
ICHABOD KEEN	PLYMOUTH	143	PEMBROKE
ISAAC KEEN	PLYMOUTH	132	DUXBURY
ISAAC KEEN	MIDDLESEX	060	MEDFORD
JAMES KEEN	SUFFOLK	354	BOSTON 1
JOHN KEEN	BARNSTABLE	301	SANDWICH
JOSEPH KEEN	BRIDGETON	284	FAIRHAVEN
JOSEPH KEEN	PLYMOUTH	344	E. BRIDGEWATER
LEMUEL KEEN	SUFFOLK	355	BOSTON 1
LYDIA KEEN	PLYMOUTH	100	PLYMOUTH
REUBEN KEEN	BRIDGETON	284	FAIRHAVEN
ROBERT KEEN	SUFFOLK	461	S. BOSTON
SAMUEL KEEN	PLYMOUTH	348	E. BRIDGEWATER
SAMUEL KEEN jr	PLYMOUTH	348	E. BRIDGEWATER
SETH KEEN	PLYMOUTH	258	MIDDLEBORO
SHADRACK KEEN	SUFFOLK	061	BOSTON 2
SIMEON KEEN	PLYMOUTH	152	MARSHFIELD
SOLOMON KEEN	PLYMOUTH	132	DUXBURY
SPRAGUE KEEN	SUFFOLK	431	BOSTON 1
SUSAN KEEN	BRIDGETON	284	FAIRHAVEN
SUSANNAH KEEN	PLYMOUTH	153	MARSHFIELD
TILDEN KEEN	PLYMOUTH	101	PLYMOUTH
WILLIAM KEEN	NANTUCKET	039	NO LISTING
WILLIAM KEENE	BRIDGETON	087	TAUNTON

1820 MAINE CENSUS HEADS OF FAMILY

NAME	COUNTY	CENSUS#	TOWN
ABOON KEEN	LINCOLN	349	BRISTOL
ABEL KEEN	LINCOLN	336	NOBLEBORO
ABRIER KEEN	HANCOCK	570	SEARSPORT
ANDREW KEEN	OXFORD	004	SUMNER
BENJAMIN KEEN	YORK	473	LIMERICK
BENJAMIN P. KEEN	LINCOLN	278	APPLETON
CATHARINE KEEN	LINCOLN	266	CAMDEN
CHARLES KEEN	LINCOLN	370	WALDOBORO
CYRUS KEEN	OXFORD	003	SUMNER
DANIEL KEEN	LINCOLN	349	BRISTOL
DANIEL KEEN	OXFORD	006	SUMNER
DANIEL KEEN	OXFORD	006	SUMNER
ELISHA KEEN jr	KENNEBUNK	627	GREENE
EPHRAIM KEEN	LINCOLN	297	MONTVILLE
EPHRAIM KEEN	WASHINGTON	308	COLUMBIA
FRANCIS KEEN	OXFORD	003	SUMNER
FREMAN KEEN	OXFORD	078	HARTFORD
GRINFILL H. KEEN	OXFORD	227	TURNER
HANNAH KEEN	LINCOLN	349	BRISTOL
HOWLAND KEEN	LINCOLN	349	BRISTOL
JACOB KEEN	OXFORD	228	TURNER
JACOB KEEN	LINCOLN	260	THOMASTON
JAMES KEEN	OXFORD	003	SUMNER
JAMES KEEN	LINCOLN	266	CAMDEN
JAMES KEEN	KENNEBUNK	683	FREEDOM
JAMES KEEN jr	OXFORD	004	SUMNER
JEREMIAH KEEN	YORK	615	KITTERY
JERUSHA KEEN	OXFORD	227	TURNER
JOHN KEEN	OXFORD	227	TURNER
JOHN KEEN	YORK	615	KITTERY
JOHN KEEN	LINCOLN	260	THOMASTON
JOHN KEEN jr	OXFORD	228	TURNER
JOSEPH KEEN	YORK	616	KITTERY
JOSHUA KEEN	OXFORD	219	HEBRON
JOSHUA KEEN 2nd	OXFORD	219	HEBRON
JOSIAH KEEN	LINCOLN	299	MONTVILLE
JOSIAH KEEN	OXFORD	235	BURCHFIELD
JOSIAH KEEN	OXFORD	228	TURNER
JUDAH KEEN	OXFORD	003	SUMNER
JUDAH KEEN jr	OXFORD	003	SUMNER
LEMUEL KEEN	OXFORD	006	SUMNER
MARK KEEN	LINCOLN	349	BRISTOL
MESHICK KEEN	OXFORD	008	SUMNER
MISHICK KEEN	OXFORD	006	SUMNER
NATHANIEL KEEN	OXFORD	219	HEBRON

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1820 MAINE CENSUS HEADS OF FAMILY

NAME	COUNTY	CENSUS#	TOWN
PHILIP KEEN	LINCOLN	336	NOBLEBORO
PRINCE KEEN	KENNEBUNK	689	MALTA
PRINCE KEEN jr	KENNEBUNK	689	MALTA
REUBEN KEEN	LINCOLN	266	CAMDEN
ROBERT KEEN	LINCOLN	349	BRISTOL
SETH KEEN	OXFORD	219	HEBRON
SHADRACK KEEN	OXFORD	003	SUMNER
SIMEON KEEN	HANCOCK	680	FRANKFORT
SIMEON KEEN	YORK	615	KITTERY
SNOW KEEN	OXFORD	219	HEBRON
SPRAGUE KEEN	CUMBERLAND	319	POLAND
THEODORE KEEN	YORK	615	KITTERY
WILLIAM KEEN	LINCOLN	344	BRISTOL
WILLIAM KEEN	YORK	615	KITTERY
WILLIAM KEEN	LINCOLN	337	NOBLEBORO
ZODACK KEEN	OXFORD	003	SUMNER
ELISHA KEENE	KENNEBUNK	627	GREENE
ISAAC KEENE	KENNEBUNK	477	CLINTON
JARIUS KEENE	WASHINGTON	262	CALAIS
JOHN KEENE	KENNEBUNK	615	LEEDS
RHODA KEENE	KENNEBUNK	627	GREENE

NOTE* THE 1820 CENSUS INDICATES TWO (2) JOSHUA KEEN FAMILIES. THE LINEAGE IS -- JOSHUA KEEN b. 1730 d. 1823 (93)
JOSHUA KEEN jr b. 1758 d. 1818 (60)
JOSHUA KEEN III b. 1785 d. 1859 (74)

THIS WOULD MAKE THE 1820 CENSUS CORRECT, SINCE JOSHUA jr WAS DEAD AT THE TIME LEAVING ONLY TWO JOSHUAS TO BE COUNTED.

JOSHUA jr IS THE LINEAGE WE ARE FOLLOWING SINCE HE IS THE FATHER OF SETH KEEN b. JULY 3, 1787 AND CONTINUES OUR LINEAGE.

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1830 MAINE CENSUS HEADS OF FAMILIES

NAME	COUNTY	CENSUS#	TOWN
ABDEN KEEN	LINCOLN	076	OREMEN
ABEL KEEN	LINCOLN	062	WASHINGTON
ABEL KEEN	KENNEBUNK	165	SIONEY
ABEL KEEN	KENNEBUNK	164	SIONEY
ABIATHER KEEN	KENNEBUNK	036	LEEDS
ANDREW KEEN	OXFORD	006	SUMNER
ANNA KEEN	WALDO	486	FREEDOM
APOLLAS KEEN	OXFORD	145	LIVERMORE
BENJAMIN KEEN	YORK	194	KITTERY
BENJAMIN KEEN	YORK	294	LIMERICK
BENJAMIN O. KEEN	PENOBSCOT	493	DIXMONT
CEPHES KEEN	LINCOLN	397	NEWCASTLE
CHARLES KEEN	LINCOLN	119	WALDOBORO
CYRUS KEEN	OXFORD	002	SUMNER
DANIK KEEN	OXFORD	024	HARTFORD
EDWARD KEEN	OXFORD	003	SUMNER
EDWARD KEEN	WALDO	486	FREEDOM
ELISHA KEEN	KENNEBUNK	042	GREENE
ELISHA KEEN	CUMBERLAND	058	DANVILLE
EPHRAIM KEEN	WALDO	463	MONTVILLE
EPHRAIM KEEN	WALDO	361	CAMDEN
FRANCIS KEEN	LINCOLN	066	WASHINGTON
GAMFELL H. KEEN	OXFORD	104	TURNER
GRINFILL KEEN	OXFORD	112	TURNER
HANNAH KEEN	LINCOLN	076	BREMEN
ISAAC KEEN	KENNEBUNK	190	CLINTON
JACOB KEEN	OXFORD	105	TURNER
JAMES KEEN	WASHINGTON	214	CALAIS
JARIUS KEEN jr	WASHINGTON	214	CALAIS
JEREMIAH KEEN	KENNEBUNK	190	CLINTON
JEREMIAH KEEN	YORK	194	KITTERY
JOHN KEEN	YORK	194	KITTERY
JOHN KEEN	OXFORD	106	TURNER
JOHN KEEN	KENNEBUNK	166	SIONEY
JOHN KEEN jr	OXFORD	105	TURNER
JOHN KEEN jr	YORK	195	KITTERY
JOSEPH KEEN	YORK	194	KITTERY
JOSEPH KEEN	YORK	295	LIMERICK
JOSEPH M. KEEN	WALDO	425	BELFAST
JOSHUA KEEN	OXFORD	154	OXFORD
JOSIAH KEEN	OXFORD	128	BUCKFIELD
JOSIAH KEEN	WALDO	462	MONTVILLE
JOSIAH KEEN	PENOBSCOT	404	SANGERVILLE
JOSIAH KEEN	SOMERSET	096	ABBOT*
JUDAH KEEN	OXFORD	003	SUMNER

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1830 MAINE CENSUS HEADS OF FAMILIES

NAME	COUNTY	CENSUS#	TOWN
JUDAH KEEN jr	OXFORD	002	SUMNER
LUCY KEEN	LINCOLN	076	BREMEN
LUTHER KEEN	PENOOSCOT	294	MILO
LYDIA KEEN	CUMBERLAND	237	POLAND
MARK KEEN	LINCOLN	076	BREMEN
MESHOCK KEEN	OXFORD	004	SUMNER
MISHACK KEEN	OXFORD	005	SUMNER
NATHANIEL KEEN	OXFORD	033	HEBRON
PHILIP KEEN	LINCOLN	088	NOBLEBORO
PHILIP KEEN jr	LINCOLN	088	NOBLEBORO
POLLY KEEN	YORK	194	KITTERY
PRINCE KEEN	KENNEBUNK	272	WINDSOR
PRINCESS KEEN 2ND	KENNEBUNK	275	WINDSOR
REUBEN KEEN	WALDO	408	FREEDOM
ROBERT S. KEEN	OXFORD	046	FRYEBURG
RUFUS KEEN	LINCOLN	158	THOMASTON
SALLY KEEN	OXFORD	027	HARTFORD
SALLY KEEN	OXFORD	236	PARIS TWSP
SELENA KEEN	LINCOLN	076	BREMEN
SETH KEEN	OXFORD	154	OXFORD
SHADRACK KEEN	OXFORD	236	PARIS TWSP
SIMEON KEEN	OXFORD	128	BUCKFIELD
SNOW KEEN	SOMERSET	064	PALMYRA
SNOW KEEN	OXFORD	033	HEBRON
SPRAGUE KEEN	CUMBERLAND	237	POLAND
THOMAS KEEN	OXFORD	106	TURNER
WAIT KEEN	LINCOLN	076	BREMEN
WATERMAN KEEN	LINCOLN	076	BREMEN
WILLIAM KEEN	YORK	194	KITTERY
WILLIAM KEEN	LINCOLN	118	WALDOBORO
YRAMANN KEEN	OXFORD	005	SUMNER
ZADOE KEEN	OXFORD	003	SUMNER
CHARLES KEENE	KENNEBUNK	090	AUGUSTA
EPHRAIM KEENE	WASHINGTON	351	COLUMBIA
JAMES KEENE	KENNEBUNK	101	VASSALBORO
JAMES KEENE	SOMERSET	148	NORTH SA
JAMES KEENE	WALDO	412	TROY
JOSHUA KEENE	WALDO	417	BURNHAM

IT SHOULD BE NOTED THAT THE SPELLING IS WHAT WAS ON THE CENSUS SHEETS. I FEEL THAT WHEN CENSUS TAKERS CAME AROUND AND ASKED FOR NAMES -- "How do you spell that?" -- THE SPELLING GIVEN WAS EITHER THE WAY THEY KNEW HOW TO SPELL IT OR THE CENSUS TAKER PUT IT DOWN THE WAY HE THOUGHT IT SHOULD BE. I FOUND DIFFERENT SPELLINGS OF THE SAME PERSON'S NAME WHILE GOING THROUGH THE MASSACHUSETTS AND MAINE ARCHIVES AND ALSO OTHER REFERENCE BOOKS OR ARTICLES. THE SAME PROBLEM EXISTS WITH MARRIAGE, DEATH AND BIRTH RECORDS. I BELIEVE THAT OFTENTIMES THE PERSON DID NOT KNOW HOW TO SPELL THEIR NAME (ILLITERATE). MANY EARLY SETTLERS WERE FARMERS WITH LITTLE OR NO EDUCATION.

1840 MASSACHUSETTS CENSUS HEADS OF FAMILIES

NAME	COUNTY	CENSUS#	TOWN
ABEL KEEN	PLYMOUTH	107	PEMBROKE
ABIGAIL KEEN	PLYMOUTH	107	PEMBROKE
ASA KEEN	NORFOLK	269	BELLINGHAM
BENJAMIN KEEN	ESSEX	207	RAYNHAM
BENJAMIN KEEN	BRISTOL	215	RAYNHAM
BENJAMIN KEEN	BRISTOL	215	RAYNHAM
BENJAMIN KEEN	PLYMOUTH	232	MARSHFIELD
CHARLES KEEN	PLYMOUTH	221	DUXBURY
CORNELIUS KEEN	PLYMOUTH	231	MARSHFIELD
DANIEL KEEN	PLYMOUTH	104	PEMBROKE
EBENEZER B. KEEN	PLYMOUTH	087	HANSON
ELISHA KEEN	PLYMOUTH	106	PEMBROKE
FREEMAN KEEN	BARNSTABLE	053	SANDWICH
GALEN KEEN	PLYMOUTH	206	DUXBURY
GEORGE H. KEEN	BARNSTABLE	053	SANDWICH
ICHABOD KEEN	PLYMOUTH	107	PEMBROKE
ISAAC KEEN	PLYMOUTH	205	DUXBURY
ISAIAH KEEN	PLYMOUTH	088	HANSON
J. KEEN	SUFFOLK	031	BOSTON 9
J. KEEN	ESSEX	257	SALEM
JACOB KEEN	NORFOLK	249	WRENTHAM
JOHN A. KEEN	PLYMOUTH	092	HANSON
JOSEPH KEEN	PLYMOUTH	135	N. BRIDGEWATER
JOSEPH KEEN	BRISTOL	335	FAIRHAVEN
JUDAH B. KEEN	PLYMOUTH	175	E. BRIDGEWATER
LEONARD KEEN	BRISTOL	335	FAIRHAVEN
LUTHER KEEN	PLYMOUTH	087	HANSON
LYDIA KEEN	PLYMOUTH	066	HANSON
LYDIA KEEN	PLYMOUTH	086	HANSON
MOSES KEEN	BARNSTABLE	053	SANDWICH
NAHUM KEEN	PLYMOUTH	087	HANSON
NATHANIEL KEEN	PLYMOUTH	232	MARSHFIELD
NATHANIEL KEEN	PLYMOUTH	105	PEMBROKE
OBEDIAH KEEN	BRISTOL	350	FAIRHAVEN
PELEG KEEN	PLYMOUTH	238	MARSHFIELD
REUBEN KEEN	BRISTOL	335	FAIRHAVEN
SAMUEL KEEN	PLYMOUTH	174	E. BRIDGEWATER
SAMUEL KEEN jr	PLYMOUTH	174	E. BRIDGEWATER
SETH KEEN	PLYMOUTH	067	MIDDLEBORO
SETH H. KEEN	BRISTOL	125	TAUNTON
SHADRUCK KEEN	SUFFOLK	364	BOSTON 4
SIMEON KEEN	PLYMOUTH	231	MARSHFIELD
SOLOMON KEEN	PLYMOUTH	205	DUXBURY
SUSANA KEEN	PLYMOUTH	231	MARSHFIELD
TILDEN KEEN	PLYMOUTH	298	PLYMOUTH
WILLIAM KEEN	PLYMOUTH	210	DUXBURY
WILLIAM KEEN	PLYMOUTH	175	E. BRIDGEWATER
YOUTH KEEN	SUFFOLK	357	BOSTON 4
GEORGE W. KEENE	ESSEX	161	LYNN
HENRY KEENE	BRISTOL	250	FALL RIVER
JAMES KEENE	PLYMOUTH	105	PEMBROKE
JOSIAH KEENE	ESSEX	159	LYNN
P. KEENE	SUFFOLK	136	BOSTON 1
THOMAS M. KEENE	PLYMOUTH	105	PEMBROKE
WILLIAM KEENE	NANTUCKET	401	NANTUCKET

1840 MAINE CENSUS HEADS OF FAMILIES

NAME	COUNTY	CENSUS#	TOWN
HIRA KEEN	CUMBERLAND	271	POLAND
ABEL KEEN	KENNEBUNK	280	SIDNEY
ABEL KEEN	LINCOLN	054	WASHINGTON
ABIATHAR KEEN	CUMBERLAND	500	DANVILLE
ABIJAH B. KEEN	KENNEBUNK	335	WINSLOW
ALBERT KEEN	WASHINGTON	108	COLUMBIA
ALBY KEEN	WASHINGTON	094	PERRY
APOLLAR KEEN	OXFORD	156	LIVERMORE
AUSTIN KEEN	FRANKLIN	074	BIGELOW
BARTON KEEN	FRANKLIN	074	BIGELOW
BENJAMIN KEEN	YORK	283	KITTERY
BENJAMIN P. KEEN	WALDO	278	APPLETON
BENJAMIN R. KEEN	HANCOCK	229	BUCKSPORT
BLAKE KEEN	OXFORD	065	TURNER
CALVIN B. KEEN	OXFORD	093	SUMNER
CHARLES KEEN	LINCOLN	110	WALDOBORO
CHARLES A. KEEN	WALDO	278	APPLETON
CHARLES KEEN jr	LINCOLN	111	WALDOBORO
EDWARD KEEN	OXFORD	162	LIVERMORE
EDWARD KEEN	WALDO	202	FREEDOM
ELISHA KEEN	WALDO	313	HOPE
FRANCES KEEN	FRANKLIN	074	BIGELOW
FRANCIS KEEN	LINCOLN	054	WASHINGTON
FREEMAN KEEN	OXFORD	094	SUMNER
HALSEY KEEN	WALDO	277	APPLETON
HEARY KEEN	OXFORD	098	SUMNER
HIRAM KEEN	YORK	283	KITTERY
ISAAC KEEN	LINCOLN	054	WASHINGTON
JAIRUS KEEN	WASHINGTON	038	CALAIS
JAIRUS KEEN jr	WASHINGTON	037	CALAIS
JAMES KEEN	FRANKLIN	035	SALEM
JAMES KEEN	KENNEBUNK	280	SIDNEY
JAMES KEEN	LINCOLN	107	WALDOBORO
JAMES KEEN jr	LINCOLN	130	THOMASTON
JOHN KEEN	KENNEBUNK	281	SIDNEY
HOHN KEEN	OXFORD	061	TURNER
JOHN KEEN	YORK	277	KITTERY
JOHN KEEN	YORK	248	YORK
JOHN KEEN jr	OXFORD	061	TURNER
JOHN W. KEEN	FRANKLIN	014	WELD
JOHN W. KEEN	FRANKLIN	014	WELD
JOSEPA Y. KEEN	OXFORD	065	TURNER
JOSEPH KEEN	YORK	279	KITTERY
JOSEPH KEEN	WALDO	202	FREEDOM
JOSEPH KEEN 3rd	YORK	277	KITTERY
JOSHUA KEEN jr	OXFORD	029	OXFORD
JOSHUA D. KEEN	WALDO	373	PALERMO
JOSIAH KEEN	OXFORD	169	HARTFORD
JOSIAH KEEN	FRANKLIN	081	NEW VINE
JOSIAH KEEN	YORK	279	KITTERY

1040 MAINE CENSUS HEADS OF FAMILIES
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NAME	COUNTY	CENSUS#	TOWN
JUDAH KEEN	OXFORD	093	SUMNER
JULET KEEN	OXFORD	093	SUMNER
LINCOLN KEEN	OXFORD	066	TURNER
LOMOMIO KEEN	OXFORD	093	SUMNER
LEMUEL KEEN	OXFORD	176	HARTFORD
LUTHER KEEN	PENOBSCOT	062	MILO
MARY KEEN	WALDO	275	APPLETON
MERCY KEEN	WALDO	361	MONTVILLE
MESKIAH KEEN jr	OXFORD	096	SUMNER
MORRIS KEEN	OXFORD	144	HEBRON
NATHANIEL KEEN	OXFORD	144	HEBRON
NATHANIEL KEEN, jr	OXFORD	144	HEBRON
PHILLIP KEEN	AROOSTOCK	071	HOLTON
REUBEN T. KEEN	WALDO	274	APPLETON
RUBEN KEEN	WALDO	202	FREEDOM
SALLY KEEN	OXFORD	172	HARTFORD
SAMUEL KEEN	LINCOLN	163	NOBLEBORO
SETH KEEN	OXFORD	029	OXFORD
SETH KEEN jr	OXFORD	029	OXFORD
SIMEON KEEN	OXFORD	047	BUCKFIELD
SIMON KEEN	OXFORD	029	OXFORD
SNOW KEEN	OXFORD	144	HEBRON
SPRAGUE KEEN	CUMBERLAND	260	POLAND
THEODORE KEEN	YORK	281	KITTERY
THOMAS KEEN	YORK	277	KITTERY
THOMAS KEEN	CUMBERLAND	391	MINOT
THOMAS B. KEEN	OXFORD	061	TURNER
WILLIAM KEEN	WALDO	390	PROSPECT
WILLIAM KEEN	WASHINGTON	038	CALAIS
WILLIAM M. KEEN	FRANKLIN	049	AVON
ZADOE KEEN	OXFORD	093	SUMNER
ASA KEEN	OXFORD	144	HEBRON

BENJAMIN W. KEENE	KENNEBUNK	344	WINDSOR
BETSEY KEENE	LINCOLN	406	BOWEN
COMFORT S. KEENE	WALDO	202	FREEDOM
DANIEL KEENE	LINCOLN	406	BOWEN
ELEAZER KEENE	PENOBSCOT	298	DEXTER
FORD H. KEENE	LINCOLN	406	BOWEN
ISAAC KEENE	LINCOLN	123	THOMASTON
IVEY KEENE	LINCOLN	406	BOWEN
JOHN KEENE	LINCOLN	124	THOMASTON
JOSIAH KEENE	LINCOLN	172	PHIPPSBURG
LINDEN KEENE	LINCOLN	406	BOWEN
MACK KEENE	LINCOLN	406	BOWEN
MARGARET KEENE	KENNEBUNK	344	WINDSOR
PRINCE KEENE	KENNEBUNK	344	WINDSOR
PRINCE KEENE	SOMERSET	087	LEXINGTON
RUFUS KEENE	WALDO	211	CAMDEN
SAMUEL KEENE	PENOBSCOT	298	DEXTER
SENECA KEENE	KENNEBUNK	345	WINDSOR
SNOW KEENE	SOMERSET	208	PALMYRA
WAIT W. KEENE	LINCOLN	406	BOWEN
WALTERMAN F. KEENE	LINCOLN	407	BOWEN
WILLIAM KEENE	KENNEBUNK	344	WINDSOR

1850 MASSACHUSETTS CENSUS HEADS OF FAMILIES

NAME	COUNTY	CENSUS#	TOWN
ABEL KEEN	PLYMOUTH	139	PEMBROKE
ABRAHAM KEEN	BARNSTABLE	382	SANDWICH
AFRICA KEEN	PLYMOUTH	206	ABINGTON
ALANSON C. KEEN	SUFFOLK	093	E. BOSTON
ALONZO KEEN	NORFOLK	015	DORCHESTER
ALVIN KEEN	BARNSTABLE	376	SANDWICH
AMBROSE KEEN	PLYMOUTH	194	ABINGTON
ANN KEEN	NORFOLK	121	ROXBURY
ANN KEEN	MIDDLESEX	215	WINCHESTER
ASA KEEN	PLYMOUTH	214	ABINGTON
AUGUSTUS KEEN	SUFFOLK	376	BOSTON 6
BENJAMIN KEEN	PLYMOUTH	160	MARSHFIELD
BRIDGET KEEN	SUFFOLK	290	BOSTON 9
CATHERINE KEEN	MIDDLESEX	294	MELROSE
CHARLES KEEN	MIDDLESEX	442	MEDFORD
CHARLES KEEN	PLYMOUTH	139	PEMBROKE
CORNELIUS KEEN	PLYMOUTH	172	MARSHFIELD
CYRUS KEEN	NORFOLK	145	COHASSET
CYRUS R. KEEN	PLYMOUTH	227	ABINGTON
DANIEL KEEN	PLYMOUTH	130	PEMBROKE
DANIEL KEEN	BARNSTABLE	036	PROVINCETOWN
EBENEZER B. KEEN	PLYMOUTH	125	HANSON
EBENEZER KEEN	BRISTOL	331	NEW BEDFORD
ELISHA KEEN	PLYMOUTH	135	PEMBROKE
ELISHA KEEN jr	PLYMOUTH	087	DUXBURY
ELIZABETH B. KEEN	BRISTOL	331	NEW BEDFORD
ERASTUS KEEN	MIDDLESEX	178	CAMBRIDGE
ESIA KEEN	PLYMOUTH	330	WAREHAM
GALEN KEEN	PLYMOUTH	086	DUXBURY
GEORGE KEEN	BARNSTABLE	382	SANDWICH
GEORGE H. KEEN	BARNSTABLE	382	SANDWICH
GEORGE R. KEEN	PLYMOUTH	162	MARSHFIELD
GEORGE W. KEEN	BARNSTABLE	368	SANDWICH
GILBERT E. KEEN	BARNSTABLE	383	SANDWICH
HELLEN KEEN	SUFFOLK	200	BOSTON 1
HENRY KEEN	BRISTOL	072	MANSFIELD
ICHABOD KEEN	PLYMOUTH	139	PEMBROKE
ISAAC KEEN	MIDDLESEX	432	MEDFORD
ISAIAH KEEN	PLYMOUTH	127	HANSON
JAMES KEEN	PLYMOUTH	135	PEMBROKE
JANE KEEN	NORFOLK	183	WRENTHAM
JARIUS KEEN	PLYMOUTH	220	ABINGTON
JERMIMA KEEN	BARNSTABLE	384	SANDWICH
JOHN KEEN	WORCESTER	234	WORCESTER
JOHN KEEN	PLYMOUTH	230	ABINGTON
JOHN KEEN	PLYMOUTH	127	HANSON
JOHN KEEN	NORFOLK	056	DORCHESTER
JOHN O. KEEN	SUFFOLK	327	BOSTON 3
JOSEPH KEEN	BRISTOL	206	FAIRHAVEN
JOSEPH KEEN	PLYMOUTH	303	N. BRIDGEWATER
JOSEPH S. KEEN	HAMPTON	223	CHICOPEE
LAURA T. KEEN	NORFOLK	093	DORCHESTER
LEONARD KEEN	BRISTOL	206	FAIRHAVEN
LEWIS KEEN	SUFFOLK	002	E. BOSTON
LEWIS KEEN	MIDDLESEX	410	MEDFORD
LEWIS KEEN	MIDDLESEX	432	MEDFORD
LOATH KEEN	SUFFOLK	105	E. BOSTON

NAME	COUNTY	CENSUS#	TOWN
LUCIUS KEEN	PLYMOUTH	226	ABINGTON
LUCY KEEN	PLYMOUTH	087	DUXBURY
LUTHER KEEN	PLYMOUTH	126	HANSON
LYDIA A. KEEN	ESSEX	348	NEWBURYPORT
MARGARET KEEN	SUFFOLK	293	BOSTON 3
MARGARET KEEN	PLYMOUTH	140	PEMBROKE
MARTIN KEEN	PLYMOUTH	162	MARSHFIELD
MARY KEEN	SUFFOLK	320	BOSTON 3
MARY KEEN	MIDDLESEX	215	WINCHESTER
MARY KEEN	SUFFOLK	389	BOSTON 6
MARY KEEN	SUFFOLK	152	BOSTON 6
MARY A. KEEN	MIDDLESEX	193	CHARLESTOWN
MARY A. KEEN	PLYMOUTH	139	PEMBROKE
MELZAS KEEN	PLYMOUTH	236	ABINGTON
MICHAEL KEEN	NORFOLK	005	BROOKLINE
MOSES KEEN	BARNSTABLE	382	SANDWICH
NAHUM KEEN	PLYMOUTH	125	HANSON
NANCY H. KEEN	PLYMOUTH	212	ABINGTON
NATHANIEL KEEN	MIDDLESEX	406	MEDFORD
ORIN KEEN	PLYMOUTH	126	HANSON
PELEG T. KEEN	PLYMOUTH	080	DUXBURY
RAHUM KEEN	PLYMOUTH	140	PEMBROKE
REUBEN KEEN	BRISTOL	206	FAIRHAVEN
ROSILLA KEEN	PLYMOUTH	212	ABINGTON
SAMUEL KEEN	PLYMOUTH	164	MARSHFIELD
SAMUEL KEEN	PLYMOUTH	321	WAREHAM
SARAH KEEN	BRISTOL	206	FAIRHAVEN
SETH KEEN	PLYMOUTH	202	MIDDLEBORO
SHADRICK KEEN	SUFFOLK	057	E. BOSTON
SIMON N. KEEN	SUFFOLK	093	E, BOSTON
SOLOMON KEEN	NORFOLK	243	WEYMOUTH
SUSANNAH KEEN	PLYMOUTH	162	MARSHFIELD
THOMAS KEEN	MIDDLESEX	267	WOBURN
WILLIAM KEEN	PLYMOUTH	140	PEMBROKE
WILLIAM KEEN	PLYMOUTH	135	PEMBROKE
WILLIAM KEEN	NANTUCKET	357	NANTUCKET
WILLIOW KEEN	PLYMOUTH	294	ROCHESTER

THERE ARE SOME KEEN(E) FAMILIES LISTED IN THE 1850 MASS. CENSUS AND MANY ARE IN THE PLYMOUTH COUNTY AREA. I BELIEVE MANY OF THE KEENES ARE ALSO OUR DESCENDANTS AND THAT NAMES WERE SPELLED WITH AND WITHOUT THE(E) IN IT. IT IS INTERESTING TO NOTE THE MANY KEEN FAMILIES IN MAINE AS OPPOSED TO MASSACHUSETTS. I'M SURE SOME OF YOU WILL NOTE THE SPELLING OF FIRST NAMES -- SOMETIMES IT WAS ATROCIOUS. IT WAS DURING THE MID-1850'S THAT MIDDLE NAMES CAME INTO VOGUE -- PROBABLY BECAUSE OF THE REPITITION OF FIRST NAMES MAKING IT DIFFICULT TO IDENTIFY A CERTAIN PERSON. ALSO NOTE THAT I HAVE ADDED jr WHEN NECESSARY TO DISTINGUISH A FATHER FROM A SON. IT IS EVIDENT THAT MANY DID NOT USE THE jr OR sr or JOHN I, JOHN II, OR JOHN III. NOTE HOW OFTEN THE SAME NAME WAS USED IN THE FAMILIES -- COUSINS, UNCLES, FATHERS, GRANDFATHERS, ETC. ALL HAVING THE SAME FIRST NAME. HENCE, A MIDDLE NAME TO INDIVIDUALIZE PEOPLE. JUST SOME THOUGHTS ON THE SUBJECT.

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NAME	COUNTY	CENSUS	TOWN
ABLY B. KEEN	LINCOLN	435	DAMARISCOTTA
ADALINE KEEN	KENNEBUNK	295	CLINTON
ADIN S. KEEN	CUMBERLAND	031	AUBURN
ALIS L. KEEN	LINCOLN	431	DAMARISCOTTA
ALLEN KEEN	SOMERSET	161	BLOOMFIELD
AMAZIAH KEEN	CUMBERLAND	054	POLAND
AMIAL KEEN	WASHINGTON	092	PERRY
ANN KEEN	KENNEBUNK	346	GREENE
ANNA KEEN	WASHINGTON	109	COLUMBIA
ANSEL KEEN	CUMBERLAND	109	FALMOUTH
ASA KEEN	HANCOCK	042	HEBRON
AUSTIN KEEN	AROOSTOCK	113	LETTER F
BARBARA KEEN	CUMBERLAND	125	PORTLAND
BARTON KEEN	FRANKLIN	255	JACKSON
BENJAMIN KEEN	YORK	277	KITTERY
BETHIAH KEEN	OXFORD	096	HARTFORD
BETSY W. KEEN	WALDO	181	CAMDEN
CHARLES TURNER	HANCOCK	009	TURNER
CHARLES KEEN	LINCOLN	116	ROCKLAND
CHARLES KEEN	LINCOLN	233	WALDOBORO
CHARLES KEEN	WALDO	160	BELFAST
CHURCH E. KEEN	KENNEBUNK	233	VASSALBORO
CORDELIA KEEN	LICOLN	449	NOBLEBORO
CUMMINGS KEEN	OXFORD	171	PARIS
DANIEL KEEN	OXFORD	095	HARTFORD
DANIEL H. KEEN	HANCOCK	030	TURNER
EDWARD KEEN	HANCOCK	009	TURNER
ELISHA KEEN	CUMBERLAND	009	AUBURN
EPHRAIM L. KEEN	WALDO	112	BELFAST
EPHRAIM C. KEEN	WALDO	183	CAMDEN
ESTHER KEEN	CUMBERLAND	055	POLAND
FRANCIS KEEN	ARROSTOCK	107	LETTER G
FRANCIS KEEN	LICOLN	272	WASHINGTON
GEORGE KEEN	SOMERSET	256	LEXINGTON
GEORGE KEEN	WASHINGTON	127	CALAIS
GEORGE F. KEEN	LINCOLN	468	BREMEN
GRACE M. KEEN	YORK	278	KITTERY
HANNAH KEEN	CUMBERLAND	049	POLAND
HANOVER KEEN	CUMBERLAND	018	AUBURN
HARRISON M. KEEN	LINCOLN	455	NOBLEBORO
HARRIET P. KEEN	WALDO	182	CAMDEN
HARRIET P. KEEN	WALDO	183	CAMDEN
HELEN L. KEEN	WALDO	267	MONTVILLE
HILION KEEN	HANCOCK	004	TURNER
HIRAM KEEN	WALDO	160	BELFAST
HIRCE KEEN	CUMBERLAND	053	POLAND
HORENCE KEEN	FRANKLIN	250	SALEM
ISAAC KEEN	KENNEBUNK	345	GREENE
ISAAC KEEN	KENNEBUNK	295	CLINTON
ISAAC KEEN	WALDO	183	CAMDEN
ISAAC KEEN	WALDO	182	CAMDEN
JABEZ KEEN	LINCOLN	047	ST. GEORGE
JACOB KEEN	HANCOCK	003	TURNER
JACOB KEEN	LINCOLN	468	BREMEN
JAIMS KEEN	WASHINGTON	132	CALAIS
JAMES KEEN	FRANKLIN	249	SALEM

NAME	COUNTY	CENSUS#	TOWN
JAMES KEEN	HANCOCK	028	TURNER
JAMES KEEN	WALDO	181	CAMDEN
JAMES KEEN	WALDO	298	KNOX
JAMES KEEN	LINCOLN	450	NOBLEBORO
JEDDEDIAH H. KEEN	FRANKLIN	121	NEW SHARON
JEREMIAH KEEN	SOMERSET	064	CANAAN
JOANNAH KEEN	WALDO	192	CAMDEN
JOHN KEEN	LINCOLN	061	ROCKLAND
JOHN KEEN	KENNEBUNK	331	LEEDS
JONATHAN F. KEEN	YORK	271	KITTERY
JOSEPH KEEN	YORK	244	LIMERICK
JOSEPH KEEN	WALDO	006	PROSPECT
JOSEPH KEEN	YORK	271	KITTERY
JOSEPH H. KEEN	CUMBERLAND	114	FALMOUTH
JOSHUA KEEN	LINCOLN	449	NOBLEBORO
JOSHUA KEEN	WALDO	278	PALERMO
JOSHUA KEEN	OXFORD	074	OXFORD
JOSIAH KEEN	OXFORD	113	BUCKFIELD
JOSIAH KEEN	KENNEBUNK	294	CLINTON
LENECER KEEN	PENOBSCOT	363	CHESTER
LENELA W. KEEN	LINCOLN	464	BREMEN
LIBBEUS KEEN	HANCOCK	001	TURNER
LINCOLN KEEN	CUMBERLAND	003	AUBURN
LORENZO R. KEEN	WASHINGTON	143	CALAIS
LOUISA S. KEEN	LINCOLN	035	ST. GEORGE
LUCINDA KEEN	LINCOLN	189	WARREN
LYDIA KEEN	YORK	274	KITTERY
LYDIA KEEN	HANCOCK	004	TURNER
M. KEEN	OXFORD	147	SUMNER
MARY KEEN	WALDO	149	BELFAST
MARY F. KEEN	OXFORD	096	HARTFORD
MIRA KEEN	HANCOCK	397	ORLAND
MOSES KEEN	SOMERSET	009	PALMYRA
NATHANIEL KEEN	OXFORD	042	HEBRON
NATHANIEL KEEN	CUMBERLAND	051	POLAND
NORRIS KEEN	PENOBSCOT	235	OLD TOWN
REUBEN L. KEEN	WALDO	287	PALERMO
SALLY KEEN	OXFORD	074	OXFORD
SAMUEL KEEN	OXFORD	074	OXFORD
SAMUEL KEEN	HANCOCK	396	ORLAND
SAMUEL KEEN	LINCOLN	241	WALDOBORO
SARAH A. KEEN	SOMERSET	205	NEW PORTLAND
SETH KEEN	CUMBERLAND	048	POLAND
SHAW KEEN	SOMERSET	009	PALMYRA
SIMEON KEEN	OXFORD	113	BUCKFIELD
SIMON KEEN	OXFORD	074	OXFORD
SPRAGER KEEN	CUMBERLAND	055	POLAND
SYLVINER B. KEEN	OXFORD	152	SUMNER
THEODORE KEEN	YORK	275	KITTERY
THERESE KEEN	WALDO	205	CAMDEN
WAIT KEEN	LINCOLN	201	WALDOBORO
WASHINGTON KEEN	FRANKLIN	250	SALEM
WATERMAN F. KEEN	LINCOLN	468	BREMEN
WILLIAM KEEN	SOMERSET	210	NEW PORTLAND
WILLIAM KEEN	WALDO	303	KNOX
WILLIAM KEEN	WASHINGTON	206	DANFORTH
WILLIAM KEEN	WALDO	088	PROSPECT

(continued) 1850 MAINE CENUSUS HEADS OF FAMILIES

NAME	COUNTY	CENSUS#	TOWN
WILLIAM KEEN	CUMBERLAND	050	POLAND
WILLIAM M. KEEN	LINCOLN	469	BREMEN
WILLIAM S. KEEN	CUMBERLAND	279	GORHAM
WILLIAM W. KEEN	LINCOLN	435	DAMARISCOTTA
ABEL KEENE	LINCOLN	273	WASHINGTON
ABIATHER KEENE	CUMBERLAND	101	DANVILLE
ABIGAIL KEENE	LINCOLN	254	UNION
ABIJAH B. KEENE	KENNEBUNK	233	VASSALBORO
ALDEN KEENE	OXFORD	159	SUMNER
ALSON KEENE	KENNEBUNK	095	AUGUSTA
AMELIA M. KEENE	FRANKLIN	225	FREEMAN
ANDREW KEENE	OXFORD	155	SUMNER
ANDREW C. KEENE	FRANKLIN	159	MADRID
BARTHOLOMEW KEENE	CUMBERLAND	031	AUBURN
BENJAMIN KEENE	YORK	258	KITTERY
BENJAMIN P. KEENE	WALDO	031	APPLETON
BENJAMIN W. KEENE	KENNEBUNK	182	WINDSOR
BETSEY KEENE	WALDO	276	FREEDOM
BRADLEY KEENE	OXFORD	158	SUMNER
CALVIN B. KEENE	OXFORD	158	SUMNER
CAROLINE KEEN	KENNEBUNK	002	AUGUSTA
CHARLES KEENE	KENNEBUNK	035	AUGUSTA
CHARLES A. KEENE	WALDO	017	APPLETON
COMFORT S. KEENE	WALDO	271	FREEDOM
DEIDAMIA KEENE	OXFORD	158	SUMNER
DUDLEY KEENE	WALDO	021	APPLETON
EDWARD KEENE	WALDO	269	FREEDOM
EDWARD KEENE	OXFORD	150	SUMNER
ELEAZER KEENE	PENOBSCOT	082	DEXTER
ELISHA KEENE	WALDO	023	APPLETON
ELISHA KEENE	CUMBERLAND	031	AUBURN
ELIZA F. KEENE	WALDO	030	APPLETON
FREEMAN KEENE	OXFORD	159	SUMNER
GALIN KEENE	WALDO	030	APPLETON
HALSEY KEENE	WALDO	148	SEARSMONT
HANNAH KEENE	YORK	258	KITTERY
HEZEKIAH KEENE	KENNEBUNK	182	WINDSOR
HIRAM KEENE	PISCATAQUIS	299	ATKINSON
HIRAM KEENE	WALDO	276	FREEDOM
HIRAM KEENE	WALDO	022	APPLETON
HOWLAND KEENE	WALDO	026	APPLETON
ISAAC KEENE	LINCOLN	273	WASHINGTON
JAMES KEENE	KENNEBUNK	074	AUGUSTA
JAMES R. KEENE	OXFORD	158	SUMNER
JESSE KEENE	SOMERSET	064	CANAAN
JOHN A. KEENE	OXFORD	158	SUMNER
JOSEPH KEENE	YORK	272	KITTERY
JOSIAH KEENE	YORK	194	WELLS
JOSIAH KEENE	YORK	258	KITTERY
JUDAH KEENE	OXFORD	158	SUMNER
LORENZO KEENE	KENNEBUNK	236	WINSLOW
LUTHER KEENE	PISCATAQUIS	309	ATKINSON
MARY KEENE	PENOBSCOT	092	BANGOR
MATILDA KEENE	OXFORD	151	SUMNER

(continued) 1850 MAINE CENSUS HEADS OF FAMILIES

NAME	COUNTY	CENSUS#	TOWN
MILES KEENE	KENNEBUNK	093	AUGUSTA
NATHANIEL E. KEEN	WALDO	250	UNITY
URRIS H. KEENE	WALDO	266	FREEDOM
REUBEN KEENE	WALDO	273	FREEDOM
REUBEN F. KEENE	WALDO	026	APPLETON
REUBEN S. KEENE	CUMBERLAND	162	OTISFIELD
RHODA KEENE	PENOBSCOT	065	CORINNA
ROBERT S. KEENE	WALDO	030	APPLETON
RUTH KEENE	KENNEBUNK	196	WINDSOR
SAMUEL KEENE	PENOBSCOT	091	DEXTER
SAMUEL F. KEENE	OXFORD	158	SUMNER
SARAH KEENE	KENNEBUNK	103	AUGUSTA
SARAH A. KEENE	KENNEBUNK	052	AUGUSTA
SARAH M. KEENE	KENNEBUNK	194	WINDSOR
SERENA KEENE	KENNEBUNK	058	AUGUSTA
SOPHIA KEENE	KENNEBUNK	020	AUGUSTA
VINAL KEENE	LINCOLN	273	WASHINGTON
WILLIAM KEENE	KENNEBUNK	183	WINDSOR
WILLIAM KEENE	KENNEBUNK	053	AUGUSTA
ZADDE KEENE	OXFORD	158	SUMNER

IN THE CENSUS INDEXES, I HAVE INCLUDED THE NAME KEENE BECAUSE -- TO ME -- IT IS OBVIOUS THAT MANY OF THE KEEN(E) FAMILY ARE IN OUR LINEAGE. IT APPEARS THAT BECAUSE OF MISSPELLED NAMES (CENSUS TAKERS, CHURCH RECORDS, BIRTH RECORDS, ETC.) MANY OF THE KEEN FAMILY JUST ACCEPTED IT AS HOW THEIR NAME WAS SPELLED AND IT REMAINED THAT WAY. WHILE GOING THROUGH THE CENSUS LISTS, I COULDN'T HELP BUT NOTICE THE OBVIOUSLY MISSPELLED NAMES, I.E., EILLIAM INSTEAD OF WILLIAM OR THE INCORRECT COUNTY, I.E., THE CENSUS LISTS HAD HEBRON LISTED IN OXFORD COUNTY AND HANCOCK COUNTY ON DIFFERENT LISTS. HEBRON HAS ALWAYS BEEN IN OXFORD COUNTY. ALSO, THE CENSUS TAKERS MUST'VE BEEN BAD SPELLERS THEMSELVES, I.E., 1840 CENSUS "ZADDE KEEN" AND THEN THE 1850 CENSUS "ZADDE KEENE". THE CENSUSES ARE LOADED WITH OBVIOUS DISCREPANCIES AND ERRORS, I.E., "SETH KEEN" 1850 CENSUS LISTED ON PAGE 048. WHILE AT THE NATIONAL ARCHIVES IN WALTHAM, MASSACHUSETTS, I FOUND SETH KEEN ON PAGE 031 AND THERE WAS NOT 048. THE CLERK ADVISED THAT THIS WAS NOT UNUSUAL. MY POINT? IF YOU CAN'T FIND IT WHERE IT SAYS IT IS, KEEP LOOKING -- CHANCES ARE YOU WILL FIND IT ELSEWHERE. I ALMOST GAVE UP SEVERAL TIMES BECAUSE I WAS VERY FRUSTRATED TRYING TO FIND THE SETH KEEN - JOSEPH KEEN CONNECTION IN MAINE. PERSERVERANCE WON OUT.

GO THROUGH THE NAMES OF OUR ANCESTORS. YOU WILL FIND IT INTERESTING.

1790 MAINE CENSUS

CROOKER	PAGE
ELIJAH	43
FRANCIS	26
ISAAC	11
JOSHUA	11
LEMUEL	12

1800 MAINE CENSUS

CROOKER			
ABNER	LINCOLN CO.	ME424	20010-10010-00
HANNAH	LINCOLN CO.	ME492	00000-00001-00
ISAIAH	LINCOLN CO.	ME492	12010-31111-10
JONATHAN	LINCOLN CO.	ME492	20110-11100-00
JOSHUA	CUMBERLAND CO.	ME217	32111-20110-00
SEBRA	LINCOLN	ME441	10100-00100-00
SETH	CUMBERLAND CO.	ME225	00010-00010-00
THOMAS	CUMBERLAND CO.	ME217	21001-10010-00
WINTER	LINCOLN CO.	ME504	00010-10101-00
ZACCHEUS	LINCOLN CO.	ME492	00100-00100-00
ZEBURY	LINCOLN CO.	ME496	10210-10110-00

1810 MAINE CENSUS

CROOKER			
CHARLES	CUMBERLAND	355	MINOT
DEBORAH	CUMBERLAND	354	MINOT
FRANCIS	LINCOLN	198	BOOTHBAY
FRANCIS W.	LINCOLN	328	BATH
FRANTER	LINCOLN	218	BRISTOL
GAMALIEL	LINCOLN	327	BATH
HUMAN (HYMAN?) 2ND	LINCOLN	327	BATH
ICHABOD	LINCOLN	241	EDGECOMB
ISAAC	LINCOLN	327	BATH
ISAAC	CUMBERLAND	354	MINOT
ISIAH	LINCOLN	326	BATH
ISAIAH, Jr	LINCOLN	327	BATH
JOSEPH	LINCOLN	216	BRISTOL
JOSHUA	CUMBERLAND	354	MINOT
PHILIPS	LINCOLN	216	BRISTOL
SAMUEL	OXFORD	406	TURNER
SETH	OXFORD	406	TURNER
WILLIAM	LINCOLN	327	BATH
ZACHELS	LINCOLN	328	BATH

1820 MAINE CENSUS

CROOKER			
ALDEN	CUMBERLAND	307	MINOT
ALEXANDER	CUMBERLAND	307	MINOT
CEBRA	LINCOLN	306	PATRICKT
CHARLES	CUMBERLAND	306	MINOT
FRANCIS	LINCOLN	313	BOOTHBAY
FRANCIS W.	LINCOLN	122	BATH
FREEMAN	LINCOLN	043	WHITEFIELD
GAMALIEL	LINCOLN	122	BATH
GAMALIEL, Jr	LINCOLN	122	BATH
GAMALIEL, Jr	LINCOLN	124	BATH
HANNAH	LINCOLN	123	BATH
ICHABOD	LINCOLN	056	EDGECOMB
ISAAC	CUMBERLAND	307	MINOT
ISAAC	CUMBERLAND	197	PORTLAND
ISAAC	LINCOLN	122	BATH
ISAIAH	LINCOLN	122	BATH
ISAIAH, Jr	LINCOLN	122	BATH
JOSEPH	CUMBERLAND	307	MINOT
JOSEPH	LINCOLN	353	BRISTOL
JOSHUA	OXFORD	060	LIVERMORE
LEMUEL	OXFORD	218	HEBRON
PHILIP	LINCOLN	353	BRISTOL
ROBERT	LINCOLN	123	BATH
SAMUEL D.	LINCOLN	123	BATH
SETH	OXFORD	217	HEBRON
THOMAS	CUMBERLAND	307	MINOT
TRANTER	HANCOCK	544	LINCOLNV
WILLIAM	CUMBERLAND	307	MINOT
WILLIAM S.	LINCOLN	122	BATH
ZACCHELS	LINCOLN	122	BATH

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CROOKER

Francis married at Scituate, MA 1647

CROCKER

A maker of coarse pottery; *Crock* signifies a large barrel shaped jar.

DANIEL married at Boston, Mass., 1660.

FRANCIS was, in 1643, at Barnstable, Mass.; of age to bear arms.

JOHN, brother of the preceding, was at Scituate, Mass., 1636, and at Braintree, Mass., 1638; removed to Barnstable, Mass.

THOMAS was at New London, Conn., 1660.

WILLIAM, brother of Francis and John, was at Scituate, Mass.; removed to Barnstable, Mass.

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CROCKER, CROCKER, CROAKHAM, CROCUM, CROCKUM,

Francis, Barnstable, atbn. 1643; served against the Narraganssetts in 1645. He rec'd from Plym. Court 2 March, 1646-7, lic. to m. Mary Gaunt, kinswoman to Mr. Coggin of Bar. Rem. to Marshfield. Dau. Sarah m. 20 Jan. 1676, Thomas Macumber.

Francis, Marshfield, d. about 1700. He wrote his will Sept. 1700; beq. to wife Mary, son Jonathan, dau. Sarah Macumber, gr. ch. Daniel, Mary, Sarah, Ruth, Abigail and Mercy C. and Ursilla M.

John, Scituate, took oath of allegiance 1 Feb., 1638; rem. to Barnstable; atbn. 1643; frm. 4 June, 1650. Juror, keeper of ordinary.

Will dated Feb. 10, 1658; prob. 4 June, 1669, beq. to wife Jone; after her death to bis bro. William C.'s ch. John, Job. Samuel, Josias, Ellezer, and Joseph; kinsman Job C.

William, planter, Scituate, memb. chh. Dec. 25, 1636. Took oath of allegiance Feb. 1, 1638. Rem. to Barnstable, propr., town officer; deacon. He deposed to the will of Dolor Davis in 1672, ae. about 65 years. Wife Alice. Ch. John b. May 11, 1637, Elizabeth b. Dec. 22, 1639, d. May, 1658, bur. May, 1658, Samuel b. July 3, 1642, Job b. March 9, 1644, Josiah bapt. Sept. 19, 1647, Eleazer b. July 21, 1650, Joseph b. 1654.

Will dated 6 Sept. prob. 19 Oct. 1692, beq. to wife Patience, ch. John, Josiah, Eliazer, Joseph, and certain of their children.

1790 MAINE CENSUS

ROW			
CALEB	25	EPHRAIM	25
JOHN	67	JOHN	67
JONATHAN	21	ROBERT	25
STEPHEN	50	WILLIAM	21
ZEBEDEE	21		
ROWE			
EBENEZER	37	JOHN	44
STEPHEN	50	ZEBULON	30

1800 MAINE CENSUS

ROW			
BENJAMIN	CUMBERLAND CO.	MB202	30010-10010-00
DAVID	CUMBERLAND CO.	MB212	00001-00001-00
EBENEZER	LINCOLN CO.	MB502	11001-10010-00
EBENEZER Jr	LINCOLN CO.	MB504	10100-00100-00
EPHRAM	CUMBERLAND CO.	MB232	00010-00010-00
JOHN	CUMBERLAND CO.	MB213	22001-11001-00
JONATHAN	CUMBERLAND CO.	MB111	01010-01011-00
JONATHAN	CUMBERLAND CO.	MB182	01101-02001-00
JOSHUA	CUMBERLAND CO.	MB180	31010-12010-00
JOSHUA	CUMBERLAND CO.	MB182	21010-22010-00
LEVI	LINCOLN CO.	MB359	22100-21100-00
STEPHEN	CUMBERLAND CO.	MB182	11110-41010-00
STEPHEN	KENNEBEC CO.	MB127	20010-20010-00
THOMAS	CUMBERLAND CO.	MB182	10010-10121-00
WILLIAM	CUMBERLAND CO.	MB116	01201-01111-00
ZACHARIAS	CUMBERLAND CO.	MB241	10010-10010-00
ZACHARIAS	CUMBERLAND CO.	M3223	11101-11201-00
ZEBULON	CUMBERLAND CO.	MB192	11010-10110-00
ZEBULON	CUMBERLAND CO.	MB116	02001-20201-00
ROWE			
no name	KENNEBEC CO.	MB1322	00101-00000-00
ABRAHAM	KENNEBEC CO.	MB1312	10201-01101-00
BENJAMIN	CUMBERLAND CO.	MB307	20210-22010-00
BENJAMIN	KENNEBEC CO.	MB1198	10010-20010-00
EPHRAIM	YORK CO.	MB944	00100-20100-00
GEORGE	KENNEBEC CO.	MB1192	10101-11001-00
JAMES	KENNEBEC CO.	MB1308	10010-01100-00
JAMES	LINCOLN CO.	MB450	11001-00101-00
JOHN	YORK CO.	MB944	01001-00101-00
JOHN	KENNEBEC CO.	MB1222	00010-42010-00
JOHN	KENNEBEC CO.	MB1308	11010-41010-00
JOSEPH	KENNEBEC CO.	MB1154	10100-00100-00
NOAH	CUMBERLAND CO.	MB307	11010-21010-00
WEBBER	CUMBERLAND CO.	MB307	21010-00010-00
WILLIAM	KENNEBEC CO.	MB1314	11001-00101-00
ZEBULON	HANCOCK CO.	MB—	00201-00201-00

1810 MAINE CENSUS

ROW			
BENJAMIN	HANCOCK	607	PLANTATION
DAVID	SOMERSET	604	FAIRHAVEN
EBENEZER	LINCOLN	353	GEORGETOWN
EPHRAIM	YORK	989	STAPLEIGH
EPHRAIM	WASHINGTON	810	YORK
JACOB	CUMBERLAND	374	POLAND
JOHN	CUMBERLAND	363	MINOT
JOHN	LINCOLN	337	BATH
JOHN	KENNEBEC	926	LEEDS
PHILIP	LINCOLN	279	NEWCASTLE
STEPHEN	CUMBERLAND	362	MINOT
ROWE			
ABRAHAM	SOMERSET	558	EMBDEN
ANNA	CUMBERLAND	233	PEJEPSCO
BENJAMIN	CUMBERLAND	312	BAULDIN
BENJAMIN	SOMERSET	676	VASSALBORO
BENJAMIN	SOMERSET	573	TWP 2 P
CALEB	KENNEBEC	749	WATERVILLE
DAVID	SOMERSET	573	TWP 2 P
EBENEZER	SOMERSET	562	MERCER
EBENEZER	CUMBERLAND	274	NEW GLOUCESTER
EFRAM	CUMBERLAND	317	STANDISH
EPHRAIM	CUMBERLAND	304	GORHAM
GEORGE	SOMERSET	574	TWP 1 S
ISAAC	SOMERSET	558	EMBDEN
JAMES	SOMERSET	556	EMBDEN
JOHN	KENNEBEC	780	HARLEM
JOHN	KENNEBEC	818	WEST PON
JOHN	CUMBERLAND	051	PORTLAND
JOHN	KENNEBEC	876	NEW SHAR
JONATHAN	CUMBERLAND	274	NEW GLOUCESTER
JOSEPH	KENNEBEC	818	WEST PON
JOSEPH	SOMERSET	558	EMBDEN
MOSES	CUMBERLAND	233	PEJEPSCO
MOSES	KENNEBEC	876	NEW SHAR
NOAH	CUMBERLAND	310	BAULDIN
PETER	CUMBERLAND	317	STANDISH
ROBERT	KENNEBEC	826	BELGRADE
STEPHEN	KENNEBEC	685	PITTSTON
THOMAS	CUMBERLAND	311	BAULDIN
THOMAS	CUMBERLAND	241	POWNELL
WEBBER	CUMBERLAND	312	BAULDIN
WILLIAM	CUMBERLAND	274	NEW GLOUCESTER
WILLIAM	KENNEBEC	818	WEST PON
WILLIAM, Jr	KENNEBEC	818	WEST PON
ZEBULON	CUMBERLAND	274	NEW GLOUCESTER

1820 MAINE CENSUS

ROW			
EBENEZER	CUMBERLAND	285	NEW GLOUCESTER
JACOB	CUMBERLAND	324	POLAND
JEREMIAH	LINCOLN	290	PALERMO
JONATHAN	CUMBERLAND	285	NEW GLOUCESTER
MARY	CUMBERLAND	333	DANVILLE
MOSES	CUMBERLAND	330	DANVILLE
STEPHEN	CUMBERLAND	330	DANVILLE
WILLIAM	CUMBERLAND	330	DANVILLE
WILLIAM	CUMBERLAND	288	NEW GLOUCESTER
ZEBULON	CUMBERLAND	285	NEW GLOUCESTER
ZEBULON, Jr	CUMBERLAND	285	NEW GLOUCESTER
ROWE			
ARITAS	PENOBSCOT	092	NEWPORT
BENJAMIN	HANCOCK	524	BROOKS
BENJAMIN	OXFORD	221	HEBRON
BENJAMIN	SOMERSET	115	CANAAN
BENJAMIN	OXFORD	050	NORWAY
CALEB	KENNEBEC	407	DEARBORN
CALEB	OXFORD	133	BETHEL
CALEB	SOMERSET	177	MOSCOW
CALEB	KENNEBEC	405	BELGRADE
DAVID	SOMERSET	169	ST. ALBI
DIMMIC D	OXFORD	221	HEBRON
EBENEZER	SOMERSET	255	MERCER
EBENEZER	LINCOLN	094	GEORGETOWN
EBENEZER, Jr	LINCOLN	094	GEORGETOWN
EDWARD	PENOBSCOT	093	NEWPORT
ELISHA	PENOBSCOT	083	EDDINGTON
EPHRAIM	YORK	590	YORK
EPHRAIM	OXFORD	136	BETHEL
EPHRAIM	HANCOCK	515	BELFAST
FIRSEN	PENOBSCOT	104	BREWER
GEORGE	LINCOLN	322	BOOTHBAY
GEORGE	SOMERSET	326	NO. 1. 2
GEORGE, Jr	SOMERSET	326	NO. 1. 2
HANNAH	OXFORD	004	SUMNER
IRA	PENOBSCOT	049	3RD PLAN
ISAAC	SOMERSET	279	PHILLIPS
JAMES	PENOBSCOT	049	3RD PLAN
JESSE	PENOBSCOT	092	NEWPORT
JESSE	SOMERSET	305	EMBDEN
JOHN	CUMBERLAND	039	BALDWIN
JOHN	SOMERSET	322	EAST PON
JOHN	SOMERSET	305	EMBDEN
JOHN	OXFORD	221	HEBRON
JOHN	LINCOLN	224	LISBON
JOHN	WASHINGTON	263	ROBBINST
JOHN	SOMERSET	326	NO. 1. 2
JOHN	KENNEBEC	436	NEW SHAR
JOHN	KENNEBEC	423	WILTON
JOHN, Jr	SOMERSET	322	EAST PON
JONATHAN	OXFORD	036	PARIS
JOSEPH	SOMERSET	255	MERCER
JOSEPH	LINCOLN	094	GEORGETOWN
JOSEPH	OXFORD	221	HEBRON
JOSEPH	OXFORD	221	HEBRON
KEZIA	YORK	575	STAPLEIGH
LEWIS	KENNEBEC	632	BRADFIELD
MARTHA	KENNEBEC	494	VASSALBORO
NATHAN	OXFORD	221	HEBRON
NOAH	CUMBERLAND	060	BALDWIN
PAUL	SOMERSET	325	NO. 2. 1
PETER	HANCOCK	510	BELFAST
ROBERT	CUMBERLAND	115	STANDISH
RUFUS	LINCOLN	028	ALNA
SAMUEL	OXFORD	221	HEBRON
SIMEON	OXFORD	221	HEBRON
SMITH	CUMBERLAND	251	PORTLAND
SOLOMEN	PENOBSCOT	082	EDDINGTON
SOLOMON	SOMERSET	325	NO. 2. 1
THOMAS	CUMBERLAND	430	POWNAL
THOMAS	CUMBERLAND	059	BALDWIN
WEBBER	CUMBERLAND	038	BALDWIN
WILLIAM	KENNEBEC	408	DEARBORN
WILLIAM, Jr	KENNEBEC	408	DEARBORN
ZACCHEUS	OXFORD	221	HEBRON

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ROWE, most common in Cornwall.

1 **ANTHONY**, Scarboro, fisherman, 40 in 1676, bot 50 a. from Mr. Josselyn in 1663 and had a gr. of 6 a. of marsh in 1671. Constable, 1670-1, 1673. Retired to Portsm. during Philip's war and again in 1690. Appr. Thos. Cleverly's est. at Black Pt., 1682. Selectman 1681, 1682, 1684. Sold his Scarb. prop. to John Waldron in 1700. Lists 30, 34, 230, 237ade, 238a, 239a, 330df, 331b. He d. bef. 1713. Only kn. ch. by unkn. w: Anthony, Elizabeth, m. Thomas Larrabee(6).

2 **ANTHONY**(1), Portsmouth, weaver, deposed in 1731 about Scarboro matters of 40 yrs. before. In 1697 he was the grantee of an extraordinary deed by which Nathan Knight and w. Mary (Westbrook) conv. 13 a. originally gr. to Anthony Ellins, Mary's br. Col. Thomas Westbrook signing it tho not named as grantor and the whole being ack. by the grantee, A. R., and his w. Martha. This may be only stupid conveyancing, but it provides a suggestion that Martha Row was b. a Westbrook. Propinquity and a deed from Rowe to John Brewster, on the other hand, have raised a conjecture that Martha was a Brewster(1). His 2d w. was definitely wid. Esther (Manson 5) (Cross) Dennett(2), m. 12 Dec. 1736. Lists 337, 339. In 1713 he deeded his homestead to his s. Anthony. In 1737 he and w. Esther sold the ho. in which they were liv. on Portsm. Plains, adjoining his son's land. Kn. ch: **Anthony**, m. 30 Jan. 1712-3 Joanna Rouse(4), both liv. in 1743. List 339. In 1717 they deeded to Samuel Brewster land adj. that sold to John Brewster by Anthony's fa. At least 4 sons, Lazarus, Noah, Anthony, Joseph. And quite poss. **Margaret** who m. 23 June 1709 their neighbor on Portsm. Plains, James Sherburne.

3 **EDWARD**, prob. a br. of (14), Exeter, fined 1664. Had land at Newmarket, 1676. Lists 52, 57, 367b. Hanged himself at Newington 24 Feb. 1695.

4 **EDWARD**(14), Newington, held ¼ of his fa.'s est. Had 200 a. gr. at Bloody Pt., 1693-4. His w. Mary. He settled his affairs by deed to s. Samuel in 1729, he to pay other named ch: **Samuel**, of Berwick in 1735, with w. Deborah (Canney), m. in Newington 13 Apr. 1730. **Richard. Susanna**, acc. John Davis(35) in 1723, m. in 1725 James Benson (1). **Eunice**, m. 6 Dec. 1716 John Place.

4½ **ELIAS**, owed est. of Hercules-Hunking (2), 1659.

5 **GEORGE**, Portsmouth 1657. Or. 1660. List 330b.

6 **GILES**, soldier under Capt. Davis at Falmouth fort, slain 21 Sept. 1689.

7 **JOHN**. Four unattached items: John, a wit. with Nicholns(13), 1658. John, ±35 in 1677 at Damariscove when they fled from the Ind. John, drowned in Piscataqua riv., Dec. 1693. John, Newcastle wit., 1705. Lists, unassigned, 67, 90, 142, 318b, 330a, 336b.

8 **MARGERY**, Newcastle, acc. Thomas Marshall(9), Dec. 1695, but he denied it. Ordered in 1696 either to go into a family or back where she came from.

9 **MARK**, Isles of Shoals, 33 in 1672, generally Mr., neglected jury duty in 1665. Called Bartholomew Burrington a thief and lost the consequent suit, 1666. Gr.j. 1666. Fined for damaging a bridge, 1667. Threatened to break Roger Kelly's head, 1667-8. Fined for not going home to his w. in 1670 and again reminded of her in 1671, which poss. made him swear (ct. 1671). Portsm. minister's rate rebated 1679-80. List 305a.

10 **MARTHA**, m. 22 Aug. 1689 Edward Howard. Unplaced.

11 **MATTHEW**. See Rew.

12 **MICHAEL**, Newcastle, appr. Jeremiah Walford's est. in 1660. He is the most prob. husb. for Mary Mussell(3) who was a wid. Rowe when she m. Digory Jeffrey by 1664 and who had a s. Richard ment. in his gr.fa. Mussell's will.

13 **NICHOLAS**, Portsmouth, to whom, with Edward Barton, the town gr. Portsm. neck ±1640. In 1647 he drew a bill on Mr. George Smith in favor of John Billin. Sued Jonas Clay for killing a cow, 1649. Sued by Barton in 1657. In 1659 he sold his ho. and land at Sagamore creek to Richard Shortridge. Lists 8, 41, 321, 323, 326a, 330ac. His w. Elizabeth slandered Alice Moses in 1648, and in 1656 announced that there were three men witches at Strawberry Bank. His gr. of 1662 was laid out in 1674 to his s. William, his only heir.

14 **RICHARD**, Dover in 1669, at Welsbman's cove. Bondsman for Richard Andrews, 1682. Gr.j. 1672, 1676, 1679. Lists 52, 54, 57(2), 311c, 356egh(2)k, 357e, 359ab. He d. bef. 1703 when his wid. Susanna, 'ancient,' relinq. adm. in favor of s. Thomas, Wm. Furber bondsman. In 1703-4 the prop. was div. betw. ch: **Thomas. Edward. Jane**, m. John Dam jr.(4). And 'others, if heard from.'

15 **RICHARD**(12), Kittery, successfully sued his step-fa. Jeffrey for 1½ a., £7 and 2 cows, in 1676. Age given as ±40 in 1678, but ±30 in 1680. Boarding-master for Francis Hooke in 1680. List 298. He d. bef. 1684 when his wid., Anne, was selling without a lic. and permitting disorder in her ho. at Kit. Pt. Adm. to Francis Hooke, creditor, 1685. In 1710 the wid. was Anne Spiller of Boston, ±66, stating that she had formerly liv. in Digory Jeffrey's ho. She d. in Bost. in 1722, aged ~85~. Ch: **Mary**, m. 11 Dec. 1695 James Cox(4). 10 ch. rec. in Boston. **Elizabeth**, m. 12 July 1711 John Dorothy. Poss. others, as Mrs. Cox and Mrs. Dorothy deeded their fa.'s whole prop. in 1713 with what seems to be a warranty ag. other heirs.

16 **ROBERT**, Isles of Shoals, fisherman, 1671. Lent (or sent) fish to Sylvester Herbert (3).

17 **ROBERT** and **ROBERT, JR.**, Hampton, both taxed in 1709. Robert sr. m. 1st 19 Dec. 1707 Mehitable Leavitt(1), m. 2d 3 Mar. 1726 Apphia (Shaw) Sanborn. For many ch., including a Robert, b. 11 Dec. 1726, see Dow's Hampton. Robert jr. m. 21 May 1708 Mehitable Swayne and had ch. b. 1709-1725.

18 **THOMAS**(14), Portsmouth, 75 in 1733, had double sh. (½) of his fa.'s Dover prop. and sold it in 1708-9 to Hatevil Nutter, including the ho. but reserving the family grave-yard. Taxed in Greenland 1708, 1713, 1714 (and a son). Lists 62, 343, 396. W. Elizabeth. Only ident. ch., poss. of many: **Thomas**, m. 17 Jan. 1720-1 Rachel Peavey, both of Newingt. Both adm. to full com. there 27 Feb. 1725-6. Ch. Dan., m. a Quint. Thomas Quint bp. on his gr.fa. Row's account 1 Dec. 1723. Poss. **Mary**, m. 5 Jan. 1726-7 Samuel Place, both of Newingt.

19 **WILLIAM**(13), Newcastle, fisherman, 30 in 1675. He m. in Ipswich Nov. 1671 Sarah Woodward who, before and after marriage, had a serious flirtation with one John Leigh, aired in ct. in great detail. See Rec. and Files of the Quarterly Courts of Essex Co., Vol. V. In 1678 he sold a ho. he had bot in Ips. and in 1676 bot and built in Newcastle. Called merchant in later life. Lists 52, 54, 90, 313a, 319, 330ac, 331b. His est. was divided in 1728, in 5 shares. Ch: **William**, had ⅗ of his fa.'s and gr.fa.'s estates; d. in Jamaica; adm. 20 July 1724 to Thomas Cotton. **Ezekiel. Benj. Morse** of Newbury dep. in 1741-2 that he had known William Rowe who had sent two of his ch. to Newbury, and that Ezekiel was lost at sea, a.p. **Mary**, sent to Newbury; m. Jeremiah Goodridge(3); q.c. int. in his gr.fa.'s est. to Thomas Cotton. **Elizabeth**, spinster, of Boston in 1724 when she sold ⅕ of her gr.fa.'s est. **Sarah**, m. Thomas Larkin and was his wid., of Boston, in 1724.

Rowelling, Thomas, Exeter tax-list 1682-3. Rowell

PIONEERS OF MASSACHUSETTS
by
CHARLES HENRY POPE
Genealogical Pub. Co. 1977

ROW, ROWE, ROE, ROWES, see Rouse,

Edward, Gloucester, propr. 1650. Hugh and John, brothers, [his sons?] made agreement in 1662.

Elenor, widow, adm. chh. Boston 2 (10) 1643.

Henry, from Flatford, Eng. came in the James, April 5, 1635.

"Mr. Owen Roe, of London, having house and lott and certain cattele among us, had a grant of 200 acres of land at Mt. Wollaston for the present releife of his cattell, and for him to injoy whenas he shall become an inhabitant amongst us, and not otherwise," 20 (4) 1636. William Leatherland, one of his servants, was adm. chh. in 1633.

Robert, ae. 40, with wife Margery, ae. 40, and children John and Robert, ae. 15, Elizabeth, ae. 13, Mary, ae. 11, Samuel, ae. 9, Sarah, ae. 7, Daniel, ae. 3, and Dorcas, ae. 2, came in the Francis of Ipswich April 30, 1634.

HISTORY OF POLAND (MAINE) by H.A. & G.W. Poole (In Portland, Me. Library) p. 65

" Joshua Keene, who migrated from Hebron and bought out Asa Loring, was the fortunate possessor of a whetstone and as there was no grindstone closer than Gloucester, this instrument went the rounds and all rainy days and odd hours were spent sharpening scythes and axes."

The following Keen(e) names are mentioned in the same book — their spellings are listed.

p.62 Hira Keene, C.R. Keene, O.S. Keen
p.62 SELECTMAN - 1879-1880-1881-1886 - Orrin S. Keen (note next spelling of same name)
p.63 THE GRANGE - Nathaniel Keene
p.65 Alpheus Keene, Orrin S. Keene
p.73 Keene Bros.
p.74 Lemuel C. Keen, Nathaniel Keene
p.75 Sprague Keen
p.84 Keene House
p.85 William Keene
p.112 Deborah Keene
p.139 Amaziah and William Keene

HISTORY OF CUMBERLAND COUNTY, MAINE - PORTLAND LIBRARY

WAR OF THE REBELLION CHAPTER - ROSTER OF SOLDIERS

William H. Keene - Otisfield - Co. E 10th Infantry Mustered Oct. 4, 1861

Seth M. Keene - Harrison - Co I 10th Infantry - Mustered Oct. 4, 1861 Pro. to Cpl. 1862

John A. Keen - Bridgton - Co. B 30th Infantry - Mustered March 10, 1864 Disch. May 31, 1865

NOTES

HISTORY OF PARIS, ME.
FROM SETTLEMENT TO 1880
by Wm. B. Lapham and Silas P. Maxim pub. 1884

The War of 1812.

The war of 1812 is as memorable as the opening of a second struggle with England. The impressment of seamen and the depredations upon our commerce, together with the frequent insults to the American flag, were among the causes that led to this war. On the fourth of April an embargo was placed upon all vessels within the jurisdiction of the United States for ninety days, and on the 18th of June, war was formally declared by the President. There was strong opposition to the war by the Federalists, but the patriotism of the country was aroused and the administration strongly sustained. The stirring resolutions on page 124 of this volume, indicate the sentiments of our people upon the subject. The following were in the regular service from this town:

In Capt. Uriah Ripley's company were: Uriah Ripley, Captain; Eleazer S. Stephens, Lieutenant; Joel Fuller, Ensign.

Sergeants: Wm. Walker, Moses Allen, John Carpenter, Aaron Fuller.

Musicians: Geo. W. Cummings, Daniel Cummings, Jr.

Corporals: Francis Keen, Eleazer Cummings, Daniel Cummings, Levi Gray.

Privates: Isaac Allen, Tilden Bartlett, Levi Berry, David Basford, Seth Benson, Otis Bent, Charles Curtis, Joseph Cole, Job Cole, Jerathmael Colburn, Calvin Cole, John Deering, Robert Deering, Sebra Dunham, Edmond Dean, Daniel Daicy, Harvey Fuller, Galen Field, Freeman Fuller, Wm. Greenleaf, Alexander Hill, Amariah Harris, Kimball Hall, Andorus Kilgore, Isaac Knight, Shadrach Keen, Jacob Lebroke, Nicholas Lebroke, Robert Moody, Charles Porter, Stephen Packard, Mark B. Rawson, John Swift, Phineas Stearns, Joseph Sturtevant, Nicholas Smith, Reuben Sawyer, Samuel Stephens, Jr., Isaac Titcomb, Abiathar Tuell, Ebenezer Tuell, Jasper Videtto, Bela Wyman, Daniel Walker, Simeon Walton, Joshua Young, Zibeon Field and William Ripley.

VITAL RECORDS OF OTISFIELD, ME. TO 1892
births, deaths, marriages
Wm. S. Spurr - Maine Historical Society 1948

KEEN, (see Keene), Ervin Smith, s. Reuben and Jane W. (Cobb), Sept. 6, 1845. [in Oxford, P.R.14.]
Fleta M., d. Irving S. and Laura M. (Pike), Aug. 8, 1890.
Irena, d. Irving S. and Laura M. (Pike), Nov. 15, 1879. [Oct. 15, P.R.14.] [Iren Jane, P.R.14.]
Jonathan Francis, s. Reuben and Jane W. (Cobb), Apr. 25, 1859. [1858, P.R.14.]
Malinda, d. Reuben and Jane W. (Cobb), Feb. 9, 1861. [Belinda S, P.R.14.]
Martha Maria, d. Reuben and Jane W. (Cobb), Oct. 3, 1852.
Maryjane, d. Reuben and Jane W. (Cobb), Dec. 31, 1847.

KEENE, (see Keen), Fernald L., —— —, 1851, O.R.2., s. Lemuel and Martha (Emery).
Katie L., w. Fernald L., —— —, 1857, O.R.2.

Reuben Loring, s. Seth and Sally (Rowe), June 27, 1821, in Poland, P.R.30. [Jan. 27, 1823, in Oxford, P.R.14.]
Willie L., s. Fernald L. and Katie L., June 26, 1885.

HISTORY OF OTISFIELD, ME.
Wm. Samuel Spurr publisher and compiler 1944

KEENE, REUBEN, son of Seth and Salle (Rowe) Keen, b. Jan. 27, 1823, in Oxford, d. July 28, 1892, in Otisfield. He married Oct. 27, 1844, Jane, dau. of Jonathan and Jane (Whitham) Cobb, b. Nov. 1, 1818, d. Mar. 10, 1894. He came to Otisfield in 1849 and lived on the Jonathan Cobb place on the Coon road the rest of his life. He was a farmer and took care of his wifes father and mother and also his own father and mother.

Children;
Irving S. born Sept. 6, 1845, m. Laura Pike July 31, 1878.
Mary Jane born Dec. 31, 1847, d. Dec. 27, 1854.
Martha M. born Oct. 3, 1852, d. Aug. 18, 1930, m. Harry Brazier Mar. 28, 1882.
Jonathan F. born Apr. 25, 1858, d. May 15, 1908, unmarried.
Belinda S. born Feb. 9, 1861, d. Dec. 23, 1946, m. Algernon Ames, Mar. 1, 1880.

KEENE IRVING S., son of Reuben, b. Sept. 6, 1845, d. in Mc. Falls. He married July 31, 1878, Laura, dau. of Freeman and Olivia Pike, b. Aug. 9, 1855.

Children;
Irena Jane born Nov. 5, 1879, m. Charles Scribner June 17, 1897.
Fleta M. born Aug. 8, 1890.

HISTORY OF BRIDGTON, ME. 1768-1968
pub. Bridgton Historical Society

370 HISTORY OF BRIDGTON

Stephen and Anne (Kimball) Weymouth settled on the next place. He was both farmer and factory worker. When they died the place came to their son Charles, a World War I veteran. He was another Kansas boy who continued to study after he started to work. He graduated in 1913 from the Lawrence Evening Industrial School. After the war he married Jean Crook who survives him and now lives on the home place. The son Gordon's place across the road is now owned by Hugh Williams.

Beyond the Weymouth place was the Clark Lewis place. Their daughter Jennie married Clarence Penley, and they built a home on the north side of their father's farm. The Penley place was sold to the school janitor, Lewis Delano and his wife Effie, who lived there for a long time. It was more recently owned by Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Hall. Clark Lewis was a Civil War veteran. He married Ella Hamlin, one of the Sylvester granddaughters, her mother having married William Hamlin and received the farm from her father. After the death of Mr. and Mrs. Lewis the house was closed for a long time. Now it is owned by William Gray.

Another Civil War veteran, James Keene, and his wife Sarah (Stedman) Keene, built their home on the west side of the road. Their son Walter carried on the place after his father's death. Walter was a fireman at the mills as long as they operated. Then he had a sawmill of his own. Both Walter and his wife, Helen Berry, died in the early 60's and the place is now unoccupied.

Biographical Review
Cumberland County, ME
B.R. Publishing Co. 1896
Portland, ME. Library

FERNALD L. KEENE, a sagacious and enterprising farmer of Otisfield, was born in Oxford, Me., May 3, 1851, son of Lemuel C. and Martha E. (Emery) Keene. His father was a native and lifelong resident of Oxford, where he was prosperously engaged as a tiller of the soil during the active period of his life, being known as an industrious farmer and a useful citizen. He died October 21, 1865. His wife, Martha E. Emery, who was a native of Poland, Me., became the mother of four children, namely: William E., who died October 5, 1865; Fernald L.; Anna E., who died August 13, 1858; and Ida F., whose death occurred September 21, 1862—the only living child being Fernald L., the subject of this sketch. The mother died October 29, 1865.

Fernald L. Keene received his education in the common schools of Oxford; and, as his parents died when he was fourteen years old, he was thus early thrown upon his own resources. He found employment as a farm laborer in Oxford and the vicinity until reaching the age of twenty, at which time he went to Boston, and for the succeeding two years was employed at a public institution. He then spent two years as a car conductor, at the expiration of which time he secured a position as employee at the Massachusetts Insane Asylum in Worcester, where he remained for a like period. Returning to Maine, he purchased a farm in Otisfield, which he carried on for a short time, and then selling out went to Providence, R.I., where he passed the next two years as an officer at the House of Correction. Thence he went to Meriden, Conn., and was for four years superintendent of the Reform School Farm at that place, capably performing the duties of the position. In 1888 he bought his present farm in Otisfield, and has since resided here, being profitably engaged in agriculture, which he finds a congenial occupation. He owns one hundred and forty acres of well located land, upon which he has made various improvements; and besides general farming and stock raising he has for several years devoted some attention to the entertainment of summer boarders, having every convenience for their comfort, and having admirably succeeded in attracting and retaining their patronage.

On May 25, 1884, Mr. Keene was united in marriage with Miss Kate Louisa Black, who was born in Devonshire, England, August 12, 1858, a daughter of James Gibson and Mary Elizabeth (Burnett) Black. Her parents, who were prosperous farmers in England, are both now deceased, her father dying in 1866, and her mother in 1873. After their death she came to the United States to live with her sister, and was for some time a resident of Keene, N.H. She was subsequently employed at the House of Correction in Providence, R.I., where she first met her husband; and they were married in Meriden, Conn. Mr. and Mrs. Keene have one son, William L., who was born in Meriden, Conn., June 26, 1885. Mr. Keene is a Democrat in politics, and has ably filled several of the town offices. His society affiliations are with the Independent Order of Odd Fellows in Worcester, Mass. In his religious views he is a Baptist, Mrs. Keene being an Episcopalian.

NOTES

SETH KEEN / SALLY ROWE

b. July 3, 1787
p. Hebron, Maine (VR)
d. February 16, 1841
Highland Cemetery
Poland, Maine

b. September 23, 1791
p. Hebron, Maine
d. 1876
Highland Cemetery
Poland, Maine
m. Seth Keen in Hebron
on January 20, 1811 (VR)
f. Zacheus Rowe m. Bethia
d. June 22, 1842 Hebron

THE CHILDREN OF SETH KEEN AND SALLY ROWE

NATHANIEL KEEN
b. January 23, 1813
p. Hebron, Maine
d. February 8, 1813
Hebron burial

LYDIA KEEN
b. December 23, 1813
p. Hebron, Maine
d.
m. Albion K.P. Elwell
of Oxford December
3, 1846

SETH KEEN jr
b. August 17, 1815
p. Hebron, Maine (VR)
d. January 23, 1907
Poland, Maine
buried Harrison, ME
m. Susan Fernald Emery

SPRAGUE KEEN
b. April 22, 1817
p. Hebron, Maine

m. Delphinia Steadman
b. October 27, 1822

HANNAH KEEN
b. January 24, 1819
p. Hebron, Maine
d. November 17, 1908
Highland Cemetery
Poland, Maine
m. Charles F. White of
of Oxford on
December 31, 1843

ROVENIA KEEN
b. July 13, 1820
p. Hebron, Maine
d.
m. as Harriet Rowena
to Jeremiah A. Rich
on December 3, 1846
aka/ Roann

REUBEN LORING KEEN
b. January 27, 1821
p. Hebron, Maine
d. July 28, 1892
Keen burial yard
Otisfield, Maine
m. Jane Cobb of
of Otisfield October
29, 1844

LEMUEL C. KEEN
b. March 25, 1823
p. Hebron, Maine
d. October 21, 1865
Highland Cemetery
Poland, Maine
m. Martha Emery
b. April 22, 1825
d. October 25, 1865

SAMUEL M. KEEN
b. February 29, 1824
p. Hebron, Maine
d. November 1, 1891
Highland Cemetery
Poland, Maine
m. Susan Clarinda
Archibald of Poland
November 30, 1849
b. November 11, 1833

MARTHA M. KEEN
b.
p. No record found
d. prob. Poland, ME

m. William Henry
Steadman

GEORGE KEEN
b. 1832
p. Poland, Maine
d. 1852
Highland Cemetery
Poland, Maine

We are following the lineage of SETH KEEN jr (G8)

SETH KEEN

b. July 3, 1787 — Hebron, Maine
d. February 16, 1841 -- Poland, Maine -- Buried Highland Cemetery
Son of Joshua Keen, Jr. — Seth married Sally Rowe in Hebron, Maine on December 29, 1810

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Form R-1 (For old records only)

COPY OF AN OLD RECORD OF A BIRTH

Place of Birth Hebron
Street ..... No. .....
Child's Name Seth Keen
Date of Birth July 3, 1787
Sex Male Color wt.
Living or Stillborn .....
No. of Child, 1st, 2nd, etc. .....
Father's Name Joshua Keen Jun.
" Color White Age .....
" Birthplace .....
" Residence .....
Father's Occupation .....
Mother's Maiden Name Lydia
Color wt. Age .....
Mother's Residence .....
" Birthplace .....
" Occupation .....
Source of Record Town Records

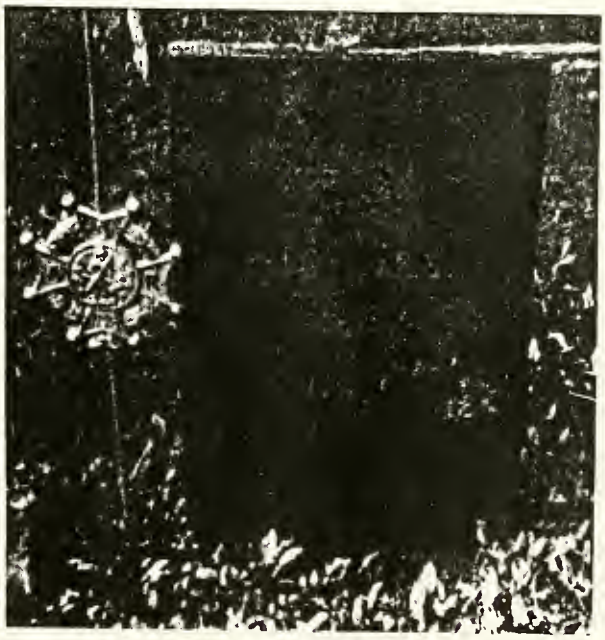
State of Maine

I hereby certify that the above is a true copy of the birth recorded in Hebron
Signature E. E. Johnson

THE GRAVESTONES OF THREE GENERATIONS
JOSHUA sr – JOSHUA jr – Seth sr – KEEN

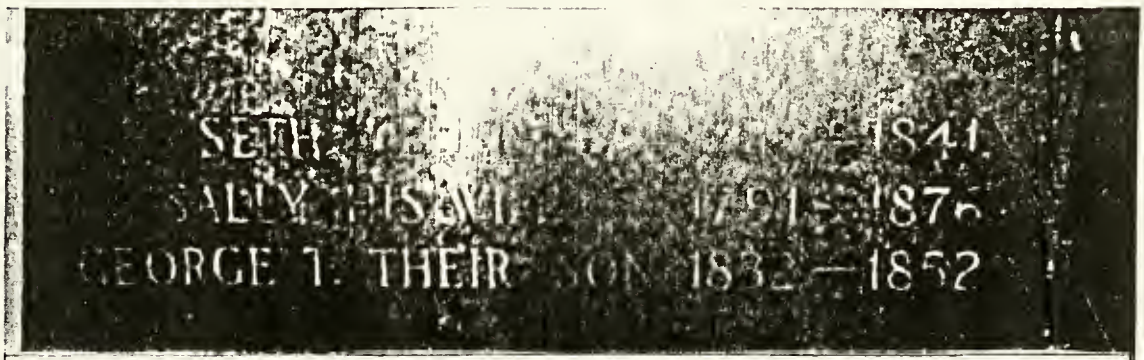
JOSHUA KEEN (sr)
DIED
Feb. 11, 1823
ae 92 ys 1 mo 27 d
ABIGAIL
his wife
died Oct. 25, 1823

Found in a small cemetery at dead end of Allen Road in Hebron, Maine



LYDIA
wife of Joshua Keen
died May 11, 1846 AE 83

Information was learned that Joshua Keen jr was originally buried across from Megquier Road, however, was later moved into his wife's grave at Highland Cemetery off Megquier Road in Poland, Maine. His name was not placed on the marker. Note that someone has placed a Sons of the American Revolution marker at the grave.



FOUND IN HIGHLAND CEMETERY – MEGQUIER HILL ROAD – POLAND, MAINE
SETH KEENE 1788 1841 SALLY HIS WIFE 1791-1876 – GEORGE T. THEIR SON 1832 1852

NOTE THE NAME SPELLING OF KEEN and KEENE OF THE SAME FAMILY. MANY DOCUMENTS SPELL IT BOTH WAYS FOR ANY OR ALL OF THEM. IT SEEMS THAT SETH KEEN jr KEPT THE SPELLING WITHOUT THE E, WHICH, OF COURSE, HAS REACHED OUR GENERATION. SETH jr and MANY OF HIS FAMILY MEMBERS ARE BURIED IN HARRISION, MAINE.

CERTIFICATION OF VITAL RECORD

STATE OF MAINE

Hebron, Maine

The following information is found in Book 1700-1800 on Page 336.

Seth Keen entered his name and Intention of Marriage with Sally Row both of Hebron, December 29, 1810.

The following information is found in Book 1700-1800 on Page 337.

Seth Keen and Sally Row, both of Hebron, were married on January 20, 1811, by Samuel Parris, Justice of the Peace.

Recorded by Barnabas Myrick, Town Clerk.

I HEREBY CERTIFY THAT THE FOREGOING IS A TRUE COPY OF A CERTIFICATE OR RECORD WHICH IS IN MY OFFICIAL CUSTODY.

ATTEST: Joan E. Clough STATE REGISTRAR/MUNICIPAL CLERK

DATE ISSUED: 1/30/92 TOWN OF: Hebron

This copy not valid unless prepared on engraved border displaying seal and signature of Registrar.

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Form B-1 (For old records only)
COPY OF AN OLD RECORD OF A BIRTH
Place of Birth Nelson
Child's Name Nathaniel Keen
Date of Birth Jan 23, 1813
Sex Male Color Wht
Father's Name Seth Keen
Color White Age
Mother's Maiden Name Sally
Color Wht Age
Source of Record Town Records
State of Maine
I hereby certify that the above is a true copy of the birth recorded in
Nelson
Signature C. B. Johnson
Form B-1 (For old records only)
COPY OF AN OLD RECORD OF A BIRTH
Place of Birth Nelson
Child's Name Lydia Keen
Date of Birth Dec 23, 1817
Sex Female Color Wht
Father's Name Seth Keen
Color White Age
Mother's Maiden Name Sally
Color Wht Age
Source of Record Town Records
State of Maine
I hereby certify that the above is a true copy of the birth recorded in
Nelson
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Form B-1 (For old records only)
COPY OF AN OLD RECORD OF A BIRTH
Place of Birth Nelson
Child's Name Seth Keen
Date of Birth Aug 17, 1815
Sex Male Color Wht
Father's Name Seth Keen
Color White Age
Mother's Maiden Name Sally
Color Wht Age
Source of Record Town Records
State of Maine
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Nelson
Signature C. B. Johnson
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COPY OF AN OLD RECORD OF A BIRTH
Place of Birth Nelson
Child's Name Syrenus Keen
Date of Birth April 22, 1817
Sex Male Color Wht
Father's Name Seth Keen
Color White Age
Mother's Maiden Name Sally
Color Wht Age
Source of Record Town Records
State of Maine
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Form B-1 (For old records only)
COPY OF AN OLD RECORD OF A BIRTH
Place of Birth Nelson
Child's Name Hannah Keen
Date of Birth Jan 24, 1819
Sex Female Color Wht
Father's Name Seth Keen
Color White Age
Mother's Maiden Name Sally
Color Wht Age
Source of Record Town Records
State of Maine
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Form B-1 (For old records only)
COPY OF AN OLD RECORD OF A BIRTH
Place of Birth Nelson
Child's Name Rosevia Keen
Date of Birth July 13, 1820
Sex Female Color Wht
Father's Name Seth Keen
Color White Age
Mother's Maiden Name Sally
Color Wht Age
Source of Record Town Records
State of Maine
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Nelson
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Form B-1 (For old records only)
COPY OF AN OLD RECORD OF A BIRTH
Place of Birth Nelson
Child's Name Reuben Loring Keen
Date of Birth Jan 27, 1821
Sex Male Color Wht
Father's Name Seth Keen
Color Age
Mother's Maiden Name Sally
Color Age
Source of Record Town Records
State of Maine
I hereby certify that the above is a true copy of the birth recorded in
Nelson
Signature C. B. Johnson
Form B-1 (For old records only)
COPY OF AN OLD RECORD OF A BIRTH
Place of Birth Nelson
Child's Name Samuel C. Keen
Date of Birth March 24, 1823
Sex Male Color Wht
Father's Name Seth Keen
Color White Age
Mother's Maiden Name Sally
Color Wht Age
Source of Record Town Records
State of Maine
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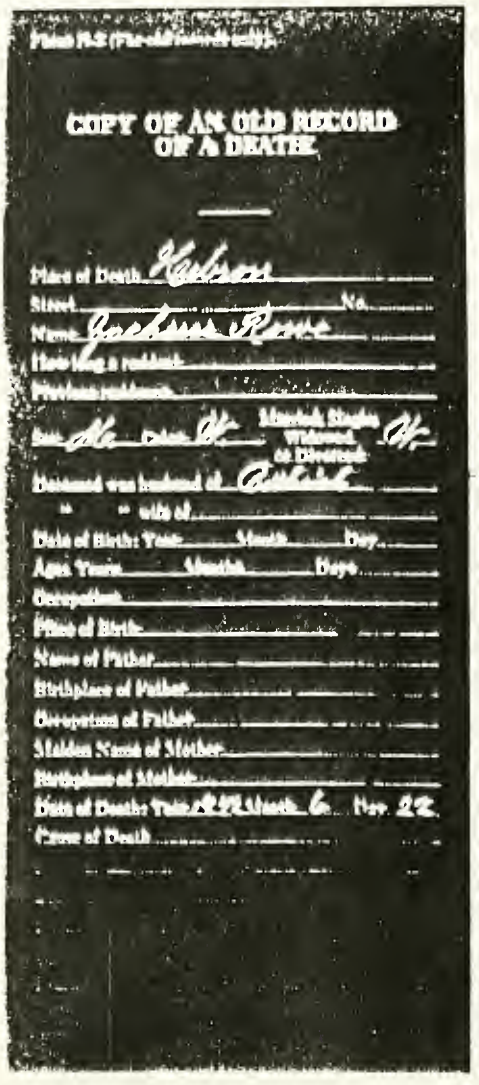
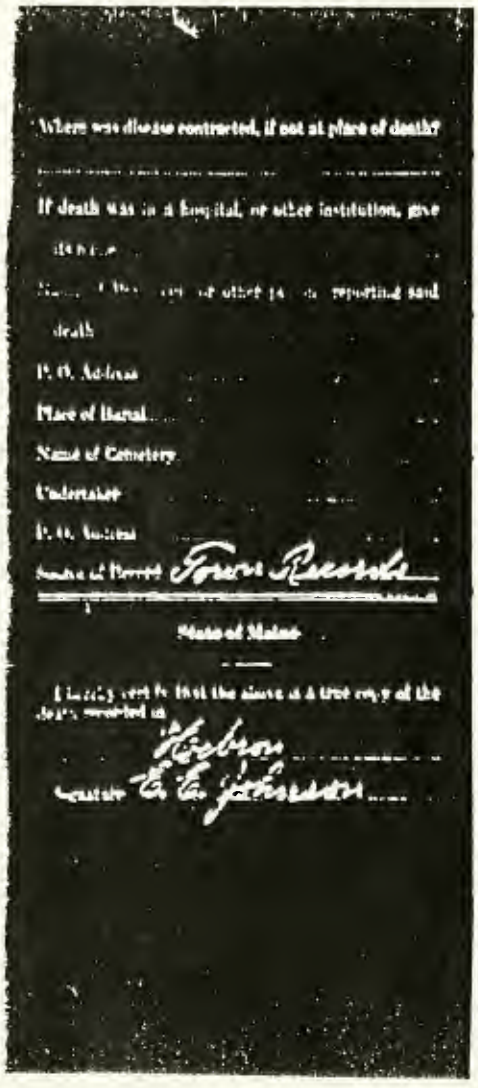
Nelson
Signature C. B. Johnson

Form B-2 (For old records only)



COPY OF AN OLD RECORD OF A DEATH

Place of Death Hebron
Street ____ No. ____
Name Jackson Rowe
How long a resident ____
Previous residence ____
Sex M Color W Married, Single, Widowed, or Divorced W
Deceased was husband of Ashish
" " wife of ____
Date of Birth: Year ____ Month ____ Day ____
Ages Years ____ Months ____ Days ____
Occupation ____
Place of Birth ____
Name of Father ____
Birthplace of Father ____
Occupation of Father ____
Maiden Name of Mother ____
Birthplace of Mother ____
Date of Death: Year 1822 Month 6 Day 22
Cause of Death ____



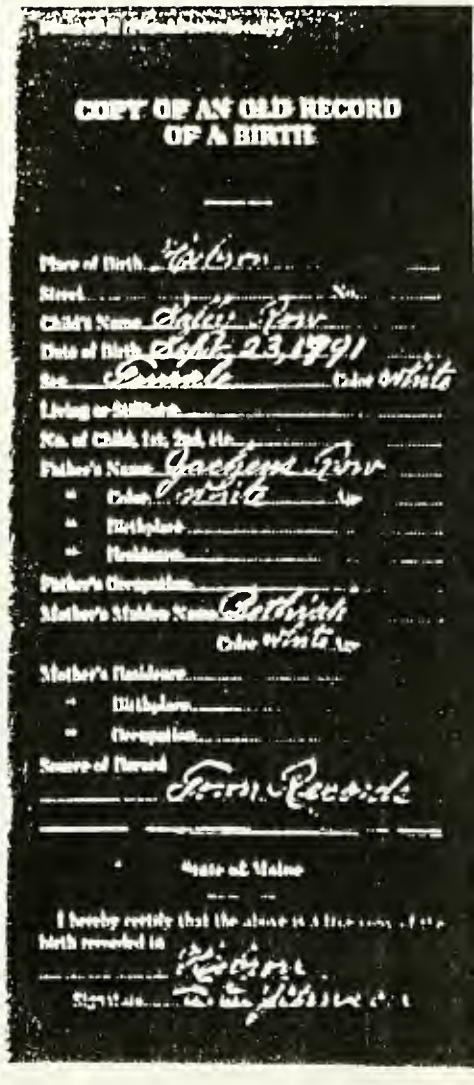
Where was disease contracted, if not at place of death?

If death was in a hospital, or other institution, give its name ____
Name of Dr. or other person reporting said death ____
P. O. Address ____
Place of Burial ____
Name of Cemetery ____
Undertaker ____
P. O. Address ____
Source of Record Town Records

State of Maine

I hereby certify that the above is a true copy of the death recorded in Hebron
Signature E. E. Johnson

Form B-3 (For old records only)



COPY OF AN OLD RECORD OF A BIRTH

Place of Birth Hebron
Street ____ No. ____
Child's Name Sally Row
Date of Birth Sept. 23, 1791
Sex Female Color White
Living or Stillborn ____
No. of Child, 1st, 2nd, etc. ____
Father's Name Jackson Row
" Color White Age ____
" Birthplace ____
" Residence ____
Father's Occupation ____
Mother's Maiden Name Bethiah
Color White Age ____
Mother's Residence ____
" Birthplace ____
" Occupation ____
Source of Record Town Records

State of Maine

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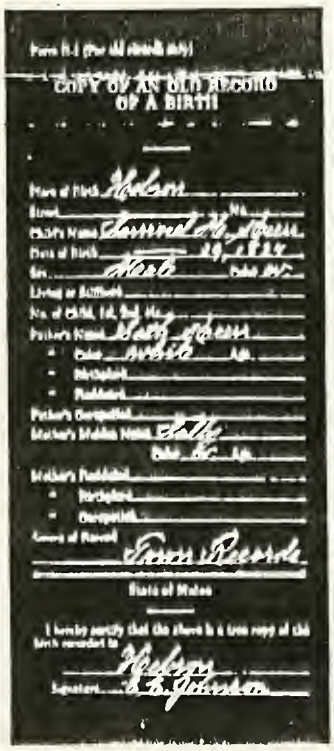

COPY OF AN OLD RECORD OF A BIRTH

Place of Birth Hebron
Street ____ No. ____
Child's Name Samuel H. Keen
Date of Birth 29, 1822
Sex Male Color W
Living or Stillborn ____
No. of Child, 1st, 2nd, etc. ____
Father's Name Sally Keen
" Color White Age ____
" Birthplace ____
" Residence ____
Father's Occupation ____
Mother's Maiden Name Sally
Color W Age ____
Mother's Residence ____
" Birthplace ____
" Occupation ____
Source of Record Town Records

State of Maine

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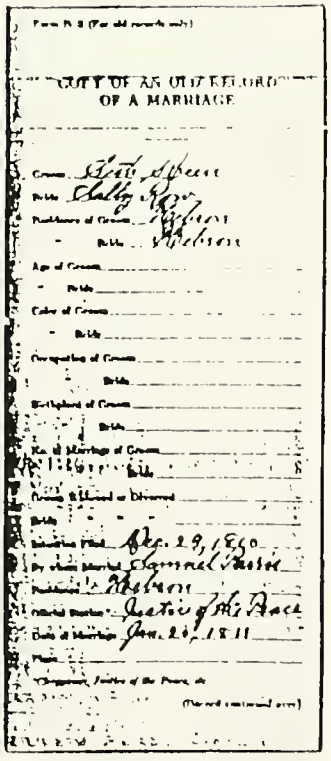
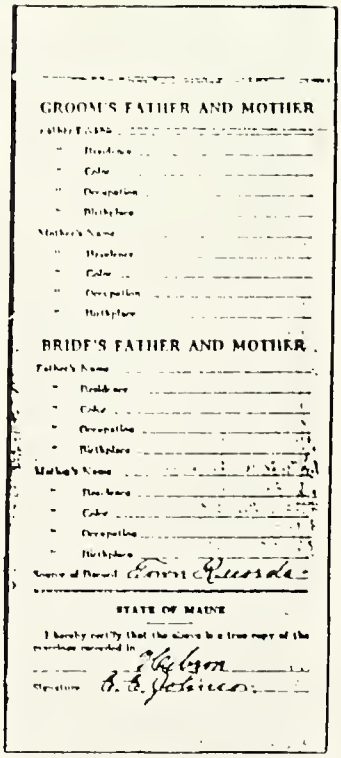


COPY OF AN OLD RECORD OF A MARRIAGE

Groom Seth Keen
Bride Sally Row
Residence of Groom Hebron
" Bride Hebron
Age of Groom ____
" Bride ____
Color of Groom ____
" Bride ____
Occupation of Groom ____
" Bride ____
Birthplace of Groom ____
" Bride ____
No. of Marriage of Groom ____
" Bride ____
Groom Widowed or Divorced ____
Bride " " ____
Solemnization Filed Dec. 29, 1850
By whom Married Samuel Parris
Residence Hebron
Official Station Justice of the Peace
Date of Marriage Jan. 20, 1811
Place ____
Chaplain, Justice of the Peace, etc.
(Record continued over)



GROOM'S FATHER AND MOTHER

Father's Name ____
" Residence ____
" Color ____
" Occupation ____
" Birthplace ____
Mother's Name ____
" Residence ____
" Color ____
" Occupation ____
" Birthplace ____

BRIDE'S FATHER AND MOTHER

Father's Name ____
" Residence ____
" Color ____
" Occupation ____
" Birthplace ____
Mother's Name ____
" Residence ____
" Color ____
" Occupation ____
" Birthplace ____
Source of Record Town Records

STATE OF MAINE

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Signature E. E. Johnson

No mention of Martha Keen or George Keen in the Maine Archives. I believe they were born in Poland, Maine where no records could be found for that time period. They appear in other Keen genealogies of the same family.

OBITUARY
MORNING STAR NEWSPAPER
MAINE MARCH 24, 1841

In Poland, February 15, Mr. Seth Keen of Oxford, in the 54th year of his age. The circumstances attending bro. Keen's death were very solemn and affecting. While he was engaged in the woods, in the company with his son, in loading logs, one of the chains gave way, and a log fell on his head, which bruised it in a most shocking manner. Medical aid was immediately procured, but to no effect; he lingered in great agony during six days when death freed him from all his sufferings. The subject of this notice experienced religion many years since, and united with the F.W. Baptist church in Poland, of which he remained a faithful and devoted member, till he was called (as we doubt not) to join the church in that happy world where death can never enter. His voice was frequently heard in the congregation, and his fervent prayers and exhortations will not soon be forgotten. In this dark and mysterious dispensation of Providence, the wisdom of whose ways are beyond human comprehension, an affectionate wife has been called to part with a kind husband and ten children with a tender and provideot father. — At his funeral, a discourse was delivered by the writer to a large and attentive congregation, from Matt. 24:44, after which, his mortal remains were followed to the silent tomb, by a numerous train of weeping relatives. But the prayer of the writer is, that they may learn to trust the Lord where they cannot trace him and, indeed, Be also ready, for in such an hour as ye think not the son of man cometh.

JAMES LIBBY.

This obituary was found in the micro-film library at Bates College in Lewiston, Maine. I received a copy with several obituaries on the page and it appears that the Pastor of a church (or a deacon) delivered a eulogy in the newspaper during those times. JAMES LIBBY gave another eulogy (obituary) just below this one on Seth Keen and again mentioned the F.W. (Free Will) Baptist church.

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In Raymond, on the 25th ult, Mrs. Ann, consort of Mr. Seth Gibbs, and daughter of Eld. Zachariah Leach, aged 27 years. Sister Gibbs was possessed of a remarkably amiable disposition from a child, but neglected religion till about one year since, when she was baptized by Eld Almon Libby and united with the F. W. B. church in South Raymond, of which she remained an acceptable member till her death.— Her sickness, which was consumption, she bore with Christian resignation, and kindly breathed out her last in the arms of her Heavenly Father. By this dispensation of God, an affectionate husband has been thus early deprived of the company of an affectionate wife; and two small children of a tender mother. An aged father, who has previously been called to follow to the tomb a wife and nine children, of a dutiful daughter, and he is now left with only one son and daughter out of a numerous family to comfort him in his declining years. A discourse was delivered at her funeral by the writer from Rev. 3:21, to a large concourse of people.—

Mourn then no more for her who's gained the prize,
Weep for yourselves and let devotion rise;
Prepare to meet her on that blissful shore,
Where pain and sin and parting are no more—
Where all will join in one harmonious lay,
And sing redeeming grace in endless day.

JAMES LIBBY.

NOTES

GRAVEYARD INSCRIPTIONS AT POLAND, MAINE
KEEN or KEENE

ADA F MILLETT, WIFE OF GEORGE N , 1867
ADELINE S , WIFE OF NATHANIEL, DIED OCTOBER 21, 1904, AGED 83 YEARS, 4 MOS , 12 DAYS
ALFORD D , SON OF AMAZIAH AND ELLEN N , DIED FEBRUARY 17, 1883, AGED 33 YRS 6 MOS
ALPHEUS D , DIED JUNE 21, 1896, AGED 65 YRS , 5 MOS 10 DAYS
AMAZIAH A , OCTOBER 13, 1824 AUGUST 2, 1906
ANDREW, 1851 1922
BESSIE ROBBINS, WIFE OF HARRY N , 1887 1916
CHARLES H , SON OF OZIN G & PHILENA, DIED APRIL 18, 1871 AGED 20 YEARS, 4 MONTHS
CHARLES L no dates
CHLOE R., WIFE OF ALPHEUS D., DECEMBER 25, 1860, AGED 29 YRS 10 MOS 22DS
EDNA S , WIFE OF CHARLES L., APRIL 20, 1874 OCTOBER 5, 1910
ELEANOR N HODGDON, WIFE OF AMAZIAH A , NOVEMBER 18, 1828 JANUARY 31, 1914
ELTON C. no dates
EMMA, 1849 1928
FRANK A , SON OF HIRA & MARTHA A , DIED AUGUST 18, 1859 AGED 11 DAYS
GEORGE N , 1865 1927
GEORGE T , SON OF SETH & SALLY, 1832 1857
GERALD L D , SON OF LINWOOD S. AND LULIE V , NOV 13, 1896 FEB 17, 1911
HANNAH M , WIFE OF ORRIN S., MARCH 14, 1836 SEPT 15, 1921
HARRY A., JULY 20, 1857 JAN 22, 1864
HIRA, DIED APRIL 21, 1883 AGED 73 YRS 9 MOS
IDA, CHILD OF NATHANIEL & ADELINE S no dates
IDA FLORENCE, DAU OF DEA. LEMUEL C & MARTHA E , 1861 1862
ISAAC H , 1847 1919
JOSHUA, DIED DEC 19, 1859 AGED 74 YRS 5 MOS
LEMUEL C , DEA 1821 1865
LINWOOD S , JUNE 28, 1874 -- FEB 11, 1911
LULIE V., WIFE OF LINWOOD S., JAN. 14, 1875 FEB 17, 1911
LYDIA, WIFE OF JOSHUA, DIED MAY 11, 1846, AGED 83 YRS
MARKE E., SON OF HIRA AND MARTHA A , DIED FEB 4, 1870 AGED 28 YRS. 9MOS. 22 DS.
MARTHA A , WIFE OF HIRA, DIED FEB 6, 1898 AGED 82 YRS
MARTHA A , WIFE OF FRANK, DIED DEC 28, 1868, AGED 20 YRS. 10 MOS. 24 DS.
MARTHA E , WIFE OF DEA LEMUEL C , 1825 1865
MARTHA E A , DAU OF DEA LEMUEL C & MARTHA E. 1856 1858
MARY, WIFE OF JOSHUA, DIED JANUARY 11, 1858, AGED 67 YRS 8 MOS
MARY, DAUGHTER OF NATHANIEL & ADELINE S no dates
MARY E HATCH, WIFE OF ROLLIN A , MAY 30, 1858 NOV 22, 1918
NATHANIEL, DIED FEB 15, 1888, AGED 71 YRS 6 MOS
ORRIN S , JULY 22, 1835 - JULY 28, 1914
OZIN G , DIED AUGUST 9, 1880 AGED 60 YRS 6 MOS 19 DS
PHILENA, WIFE OF OZIN G , 1825 1911
ROSE M , WIFE OF ALPHEUS D , 1846 1933
ROWENA E , WIFE OF ELTON C., 1888 1915
SALLY, WIFE OF SETH, 1791 -- 1876
SAMUEL M , SEPT 20, 1824 NOV 1, 1891
SETH, 1788 1841
SIDNEY T , SON OF SPRAGUE AND SUSAN S , DIED DEC 5, 1823 AGED 2 MOS 18 DS.
SPRAGUE, DIED OCT 8, 1882 AGED 76 YRS
SUSAN S , WIFE OF SPRAGUE, DIED MAY 20, 1874 AGED 79 YRS 5 MOS
SUSAN C , WIFE OF SAMUEL M , NOV 11, 1831 SEPT 21, 1901
WILLIAM E , SON OF DEA. LEMUEL C & MARTHA E , 1847 1865
WILLIAM G , SON OF SPRAGUE AND SUSAN S , DIED SEPT 6, 1842 AGED 3 YRS 3 MOS. 23 DS.
WILLIE, SON OF NATHANIEL AND ADELINE S no dates

KEEN GENEALOGY G8 PARENTS SETH KEEN sr AND SALLY ROWE

SETH KEEN jr / SUSAN FERNALD EMERY

b. August 17, 1815
p. Hebron, Maine (VR)
d. January 23, 1907
Burial Keen yard
Harrison, Maine

b. September 14, 1818
p. Hebron, Maine
d. February 11, 1898
Burial Keen yard
Harrison, Maine
m. Seth Keen jr in Oxford, ME
on November 7, 1837

THE CHILDREN OF SETH KEEN jr AND SUSAN EMERY

SALLY KEEN (SARAH E.)
b. c. 1838
p. Poland, Maine
d. January 29, 1898
Oxford, Maine
See death certificate
m. Henry Rust Everett on
May 31, 1856, Norway, ME

HANNAH E. KEEN
b. December 26, 1839
p. Poland, Maine
d. January 30, 1911

MOSES M. KEEN
b. c. 1842
p. Poland, Maine
d. 1872
Burial Keen yard
Harrison, Maine
In 27th infantry
m. Sarah M. Farnham

MARTHA KEEN
b. c. 1844
p. Poland, Maine
d.

m. __ Steadman of
Bridgton, Maine

JAMES KEEN
b. c. 1845
p. Poland, Maine
d.

m. Sarah (Steadman?) living
Bridgton in 1880 child
Walter R.

JOSEPH ROSCOE KEEN
b. June 1, 1847*
p. Poland Spring, Maine
d. July 21, 1925
Somerville, MA
buried Everett, MA.
m. Mary Doughty

ELIZA KEEN
b. c.1848
p. Poland, Maine
d.

MARIDETH E. KEEN
b. c. 1849
p. Poland, Maine(?)
d. April 6, 1866

MARIUS KEEN
b. c. 1852
p. Poland, Maine(?)
d. August 29, 1867

MARY A. KEEN
b. c. 1853
p. Poland, Maine (?)
d. May 11, 1854

The last three children were found buried in the Keen graveyard in Harrison, Maine and all the stones say son or daughter of Seth and Susan. Seth and Susan are also buried there, along with their son Moses. There is also a Sprague E. Keen buried there with a stone that says he was born Nov. 24, 1855 and died -- 1886. No other marking on the tombstone. Another child of Seth and Susan?

* Joseph Keen's birth figured from his death certificate.

The KEEN burial graveyard in Harrison, Maine is located on the Charles Roy property at the northern end of Mapleridge Road.. I learned that Seth and Susan died in Poland, but buried in Harrison. The Archives list their deaths in Poland (see death certificates).

We are following the lineage of JOSEPH KEEN (G9)

SETH KEEN, JR

b. August 17, 1815 -- Hebron, Maine

d. January 23, 1907 -- Poland, Maine -- Buried Keen Yard, Harrison, Maine

Son of Seth Keen -- Seth jr married Susan Emery on November 7, 1837 in Oxford, Maine

The Keen burial yard in Harrison is located at the northern end of Mapleridge Road and is located on the Charles Roy property. Susan Emery Keen is also buried alongside her husband along with children unknown heretofore who apparently died young ...

TOMBSTONE ENGRAVINGS ...

1. MARIDETH E. KEEN d. April 6, 1866 - age 17 - daughter of Seth and Susan
2. MARIUS KEEN d. August 29, 1867 - age 15 - son of Seth and Susan
3. MARY A. KEEN d. May 11, 1854 - age 1 year and 9 months - daughter of Seth and Susan
4. MOSES M. KEEN d. 1872 - son of Seth and Susan 27th Infantry

Robert R. Keen - Dayton, Ohio 1991

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J. S. Henderson
State Archivist

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RECORD OF A DEATH.

No. of Record, 0

Name, Seth Keen

Place of Death, Poland

Street, — No., — Ward, —

Date of Death: Year 1907 Month, 1 Day, 23

Age: Years, 91 Months, 5 Days, 0

Place of Birth, Oxford Me

Sex, M Color, W ~~Married, Single, Widowed, or Divorced,~~ W

Occupation, Farmer

Name of Father, Seth Keen

Maiden Name of Mother, Sally Rowe

Birthplace of Father, Oxford

Birthplace of Mother, Unknown

Occupation of Father, Farmer

Deceased was wife of

Widow of

Cause of Death, Senility

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And. 1907

If death was in a hospital, or other institution, give its name,

How long an inmate,

Previous residence,

Name of Physician (or other person) reporting said death, H R Farris

P. O. Address, Oxford

Undertaker, Roscoe F. Stattles

P. O. Address, Welchville Me

State of Maine.

I hereby certify that the above death record is correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

C. C. Mitchell

Clerk of Poland Me

RECORD OF A DEATH.

Name Susan J. Keen

Place of Death Poland

Date of Death Feb. 11 1898

Age, Years, 79 Months, 5 Days 27

Place of Birth Poland

Sex F Color W ~~Married, Single, Widowed, or Divorced~~ M

Occupation Housewife

Cause of Death Catarrhal Consumption

19

Place of Burial Otisfield

Name of Father William Emery

Maiden Name of Mother Mt Kenny

Birthplace of Father Poland Me

Birthplace of Mother Otisfield

Occupation of Father Farmer

Name and address of Physician (or other person) reporting said death.

Orin Stevens Oxford Me

M.D.

STATE OF MAINE.

I hereby certify that the above death record is correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

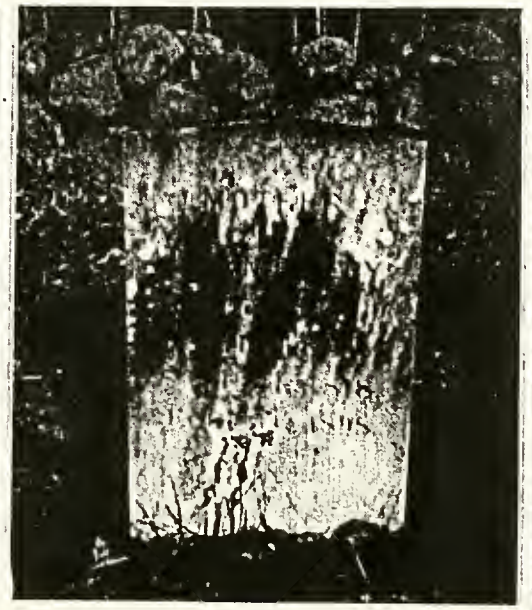
F. A. Palsifor

Clerk of Poland

THE FOLLOWING GRAVES OF SOME OF THE KEEN FAMILY WERE FOUND IN A PRIVATE CEMETERY IN HARRISON, MAINE.

The Keen burial yard was located on the northern end of Mapleridge Road on the Charles Roy property (1991).

FATHER
SETH KEEN
AUGUST 17, 1815 - JANUARY 23, 1907



MOTHER
SUSAN EMERY KEEN
SEPTEMBER 14, 1818 - FEBRUARY 11, 1898

MOSES M. KEEN
SON OF SETH AND SUSAN
DIED 1872
27TH INFANTRY

MARY A. KEEN
DAUGHTER OF SETH AND SUSAN
DIED MAY 11, 1854
AGE 1 YEAR AND 9 MONTHS

MARIUS A. KEEN
SON OF SETH AND SUSAN
DIED AUGUST 27, 1867 AGE 15

SPRAGUE KEEN
NOVEMBER 24, 1855 - DIED 1886

PIONEERS OF MASSACHUSETTS
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WINSLOW,

Edward, printer, son of Edward Winslow, Esquire, b. at Droitwich, Eng. Oct. 19, 1595; res. at London. Rem. to Leyden, Holland. There he married, May 6, 1614, Elizabeth Barker of Chalsun, Eng. He came in the Mayflower; signed the Compact; settled at Plymouth. Was one of the Trading co.; agent of the Colony; magistrate, Assistant, and in 1644 was chosen Governor. He wrote Hypocrisy Unmasked, Good News from New England, and numerous important letters. Was a man of large powers and deep devotion to the interests of the Colony. He brought with him his wife; two men-servants, George Sowle and Elias Story, and a little girl who had been placed in his care, Ellen More; she d. in 1621. His wife d. soon after coming, and he m. 2, May 12, 1621, Susanna, widow of Mr. William White; she survived him, and d. Oct. 1, 1680.

He d. at sea May 8, 1655. Ch. Edward, John, Josiah, Elizabeth.

Gilbert, bro. of Edward, bapt. Oct. 29, 1600, came in the Mayflower; signed the Compact; drew lots in Plymouth in 1623. Ret. after a few years to Eng. and d. there.

John, bro. of Edward, yeoman, bapt. April 18, 1597, came to Plymouth in the Fortune in 1621. He rem. to Boston in 1655. Bought the mansion of the late Antipas Boice 19 Sept. 1671. Wife Mary came with him to Plymouth, and drew share in cattle in 1627. Ch. Sarah, (m. in Bo. 19 July, 1660, Myles Standish, Jr.,) Benjamin b. at Plym. 12 Aug. 1653.

Will dated 12 March, 1673, prob. 21 May, 1674. Beq. to wife Mary; sons Benjamin, Edward, and John; to William Payne, son of his dau. Sarah Meddlecott; to Parnell, dau. of his son Isaac; to the children of his dau. Latham; to son Edward's children; to son Edward Grey's children which he had by my dau. Mary; to son Joseph's two children; to gr. ch. Mary Harris' two children; to kinsman Josiah Winslow, governor of New Plymouth; to bro. Josiah; to kinswoman Eleanor Baker, dau. of my bro. Kenelm; to Mr. Paddy's widow; to negro girl Jane her freedom after 20 years.

Josiah, bro. of Edward, bapt. Feb. 16, 1605-6; was sent over as an accountant to Mr. Shirley in 1631 to Plymouth. Settled at Marshfield; frm. 1633; deputy 1643. Ch. Elizabeth b. Sept. 24, 1637, Jonathan b. Aug. 8, 1638, Margaret b. July 15, 1640, Rebecca b. July 15, 1643, Hannah b. 30 Nov. 1644.

He was bur. Dec. 1, 1674, in his 69th year. Will prob. 1 March, 1674-5, beq. to his four daus.; to gr. ch. Hannah Miller, living with his wife; to Mr. Samuel Arnold, the teacher. The will was declared void in regard to his bequeathing house and lands at Marshfield after having previously given them to his son Josiah; otherwise the will was declared in force. Widow Margaret exec.

Kenelm, bro. of Edward, joiner, bapt. May 3, 1599. Came to Marshfield; frm. 1633. He m. in June, 1634, Ellen or Eleanor, widow of John Adams.

He d. at Salem Sept. 13, 1672; his widow Ellen was bur. Dec. 5, 1682, ae. 83 years. His will dated 8 Aug.; testified before Wm. Hawthorne, was prob. at Plymouth 5 June, 1673. Certain estate, formerly given to son Kenelme; wife Ellinor's est. to go to son Nathaniel after her decease; son Job; dau. Ellinor; gr. ch. Kenelme Baker, Mary Adams and others not specified.

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WINSLOW. See also Gray(10), Hilton (16), Scott(3). Winsland and Winsley cause confusion.

1 **EDWARD,** and Thomas Humphrey, wit. John Parker to Clark and Lake 1657 (Y. D. 35: 54).

2 **GILBERT,** at the Piscataqua early, engaged in salt works (see Hilton 17).

3 **JOHN,** sr., Boston, one of the purchasers of the Plymouth Colony interests on the Kennebec and partner with Edw. Tyng in a trading ho. more than 20 miles up the river, from where he wanted Mr. Cheekley's barque to bring off his people and goods (Josiah W. and peltry), in 1664.

4 **JOHN** and sis. Elizabeth, b. in Boston, came to Portsm. when their mo. Abigail (Atkinson) m. Samuel Penhallow(2). Elizabeth, m. in Portsm. in July 1715 Alexander Todd, mariner (Suff. D. 34: 268). John was of Boston when he m. in Portsm. Sarah Pierce(13). He d. at sea 31 Oct. 1731, ag. 38. 3 ch. rec.

5 **JOSIAS,** and Christopher Lawson, wit. Spencer to Clarke & Lake 1654 (Y. D. 35: 52). See also (3).

6 **NATHANIEL** and Gilbert, Swansey; see Wiswell(1).

7 **LT. SAMUEL,** ag. ±23, depos. bef. Fryer 1 Aug. 1691 that he was on the Great Isl. the last of July. Poss. about then and there he m. a wife Amy (Moses Furber's wid.?) and they were the S. & A. who had a s. **Samuel** rec. in Boston 28 June 1692. A warr. was issued in Boston 5 Nov. 1697 ag. Amee W., her ch. b. June 1697, her husb. long absent. In Nov. 1698, calling herself of Boston, wid., she gave Samuel Weeks a lease of what was evid. Moses Furber's prop. This lease was used as evid. in suit Wm. Furber v. Joshua Weeks, 1733, for 2/4 of 1/6 the land the orig. Wm. Furber(2) had deeded to his s. Moses. But also the statement was made that Weeks held the Moses F. title thru Vaughans.

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WINSLOW

A place name from the town of Winslow in Buckinghamshire, England. Original family seat in Worcestershire, England.

EDWARD, governor, son of Edward W., bapt. Droitwich, Worcestershire, Eng., 1595, "Mayflower" passenger, resident Marshfield, Mass., 1646, died 1654.

GILBERT, brother of the preceding, "Mayflower" passenger, returned to England before 1627, there died before 1650.

JOHN, merchant, brother of the preceding, b. Eng. 1597, came to Plymouth, Mass., 1623, removed Boston, Mass., 1657, died 1674.

JOSIAH, brother of the preceding, bapt. Droitwich, Eng., 1606, arrived Saco, Maine, 1631, removed Scituate, Mass., finally to Marshfield, Mass.; died 1674.

KENELM, joiner and planter, brother of the preceding, bapt. 1599, arrived Plymouth, Mass., 1629, removed Marshfield, Mass., 1641, engaged in the settlement of Yarmouth and other towns in Mass.; died Salem, Mass., 1672.

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KEEN, SNOW, of Pembroke, m. Rebecca, d. of Timothy Barbank, 1756. TILDEN, son of 2d William, m. Joanna Pearson, 1817, and had Tilden Holmes, 1822, and Phebe Pearson, 1821. WILLIAM, probably a descendant from Joseph of Duxbury, who m., 1665, Hannah Dingley, m. Ruth Sargent, and had Elizabeth, 1744; Ruth, 1746; Grace, 1748. He m., 2d, 1755, Margaret, wid. of Seth Drew, and had William. WILLIAM, son of above, m., 1785, Lydia Holmes, and had William, m. Abigail, d. of Corban Barnes; Tilden; Margaret James, m. George Washburn; Charlotte W., m. Jabez Churchill and Isaac Perkins; Eliza, m. America Brewster Rogers; Lydia, m. Joseph Lucas; Abigail, m. Elisha Nelson; and Eleanor, m. John Fenno.

NOTES

OFFICIAL ARMY REGISTER 1861-1865 v. I AMERICAN CIVIL WAR
CONNECTICUT, MAINE, MASSACHUSETTS, NEW HAMPSHIRE, RHODE ISLAND, VERMONT

STATE	NAME	
MA	William F. KEEN	1st Lt. - 29th Regiment - resigned 19 Mar 1862 p.195
ME	A.H. KEENE	Promoted 2nd Lt. 11 Aug 1863 to Capt. 83rd USCT p.37
ME	Josiah F. KEENE	2nd Lt. - 11th Regiment - 7 May 1865 p.31
ME	Samuel F. KEENE	29th Regiment - Killed in action 22 Jun 1864 p. 46
ME	Weston H. KEENE	20th Regiment - Killed in action 30 Sep 1864 p. 46
RI	Edwin W. KEENE	3rd Regiment - discharged 15 Jun 1865 p.243
ME	Calvin S. Douty	1st Regiment - Killed in action 17 June 1863 Aldie, VA
MA	Sibley EMERY	1st Lt.- 51st Regiment - discharged 6 Jun 1863 p. 225
MA	Cyrus C. EMERY	2nd Lt. - 2nd Regiment - discharged 3 Feb 1864 p. 123
MA	James A. EMERY	2nd Regiment - 2nd MA h. art. 19 Aug 1865 p.133
MA	Moses S. EMERY	1st Lt. - 28th Regiment - Resigned 25 Sep 1862 p. 193
MA	William EMERY	Capt. - 25th Regiment - Expiration of service 20 Oct 1864 p. 187
MA	John C. EMERY	Ass't Surgeon - 48th MA. Inf. - 13th Regiment - 6 Apr 1865 p.86
ME	Abner C. EMERY	2nd Lt. - 2nd Regiment - discharged 2 Jul 1865 p.3
ME	Seth A. EMERY	1st Battalion - discharged 16 Jan 1865 p. 8
ME	Preston M. EMERY	1st Lt. - 13th Regiment - 12 Jan 1865 p. 57
ME	Daniel W. EMERY	1st Lt. - 3rd Regiment - 19 Aug 1862 p. 15
ME	Sabine EMERY	Colonel - 9th Regiment - resigned 25 May 1864 p. 27
ME	Edwin EMERY	2nd Lt. - 17th Regiment - 20 Jan 1865 p. 42
ME	Frederick A. EMERY	1st Lt. - resigned 27 Oct 1862 p. 27
ME	William H. EMERY	1st Lt. - 19th Regiment - discharged 13 Oct 1864 p. 43
NH	Charles S. EMERY	12th Regiment - Died 1 Aug 1864 Coal Harbor, VA p. 85
NH	George W. EMERY	1st Lt. - 9th Regiment - Killed in action 30 Sep 1864 p. 82
CT	Ira EMERY	1st Lt. - 14th Regiment - discharged 25 Jan 1863 p.282
MA	Benjamin F. ROWE	2nd Lt. - 1st Regiment - expiration of service 31 JUl 1865 p. 130
MA	Edward L. ROWE	1st Lt. - 8th Regiment - 15 Sep 1862 p. 158
MA	Hiram ROWE	2nd Lt. - Killed in action 10 May 1863 Chancellorsville p. 170
MA	James F. ROWE	Capt. - 23rd Regiment - 9 Aug 1863 p. 202
MA	John ROWE	16th Regiment - no further information p. 169
ME	Abram N. ROWE	1st Lt. - 13th Regt. - Died Fever 21 Nov 1864 Winchester, VA p.57
ME	Zebulon ROWE	2nd Lt. - 15th Regiment - resigned 10 Apr 1862 p. 38
NH	Charles E. ROWE	2nd Lt. - 8th Regiment - expiration of service 18 Jan 1865 p. 80
NH	Elihu T. ROWE	Chaplain - Resigned 25 Jul 1863 p. 87
NH	Henry W. ROWE	Sgt. Chaplain - Medal of Honor from Secty of War (no date) p.84
CT	Charles H. ROWE	Ass't Surgeon - 18th Regiment - 3 Sep 1864 p. 288
MA	Samuel K. TOWLE	Surgeon - prom. 26 Feb 1862 - 30th Regiment - MA Volunteers expiration of service 18 Nov 1864 p. 130, 197
ME	William C. TOWLE	Ass't Surgeon - 12th Infantry - 30 Nov 1863 p. 34
ME	William C. TOWLE	Ass't Surgeon - 23rd Infantry - 24 Jan 1863 p. 49
NH	Benjamin N. TOWLE	Ass't Surgeon - 15th Regiment - 15 Oct 1862 p. 89
NH	Charles F. TOWLE	1st Lt. - 12th Regiment - resigned 9 Jun 1865 p. 85
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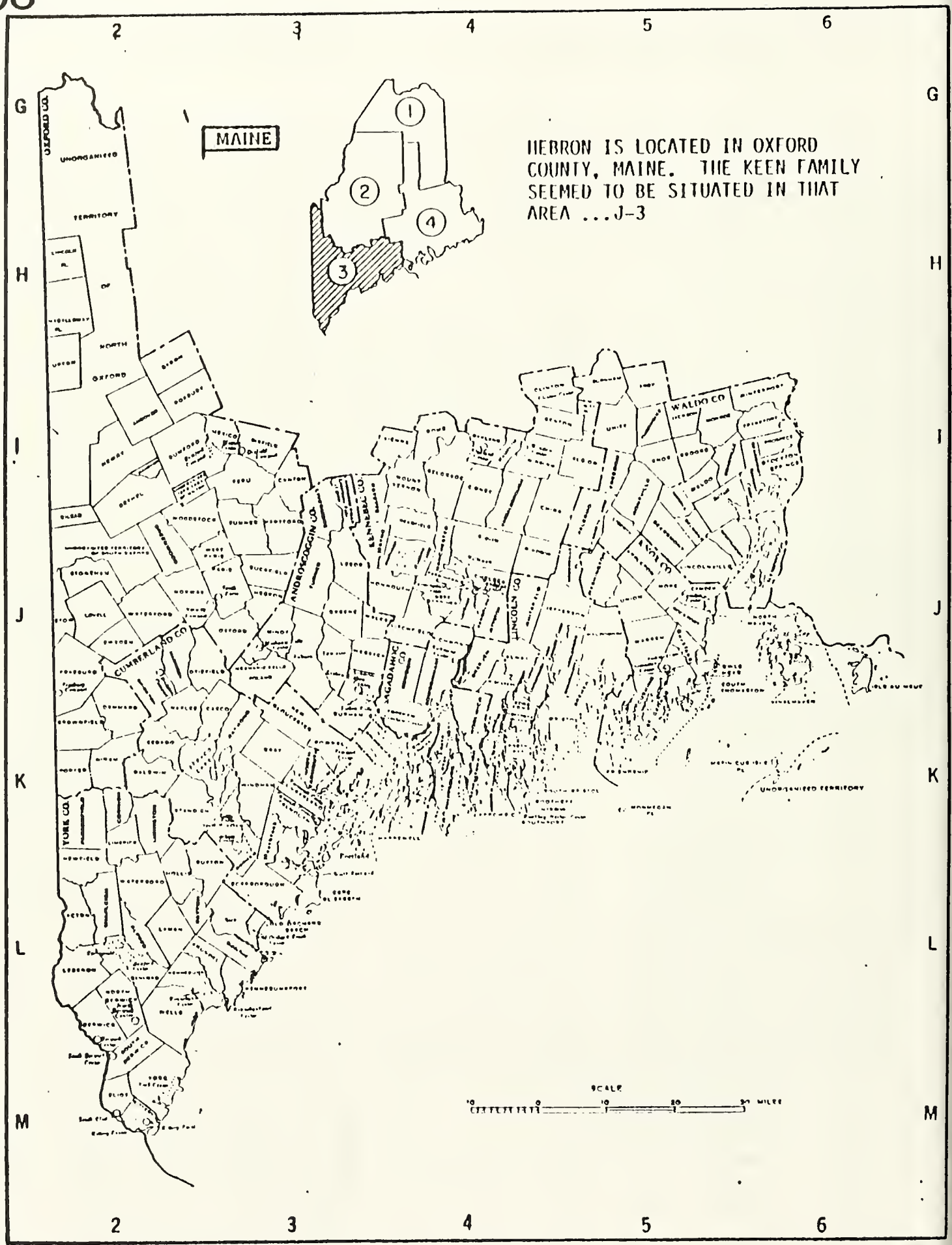
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HEBRON IS LOCATED IN OXFORD COUNTY, MAINE. THE KEEN FAMILY SEEMED TO BE SITUATED IN THAT AREA ...J-3
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NORTH OXFORD
ANDROSCOGGIN CO
KENNEBEC CO
SOMERSET CO
WALDO CO
PENOBSCOT CO
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LINCOLN CO
SAGADAHOC CO
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THE FOLLOWING RECORDS WERE FOUND IN THE NATIONAL ARCHIVES ON MICROFILM AT WALTHAM, MASSACHUSETTS

THE MAINE STATE CENSUS FOR THE YEAR 1850 LISTS SETH KEEN ON PAGE 048, HOWEVER, THE RECORD WAS FOUND : PAGE 31. IT APPEARS THAT THE PAGES CHANGED NUMBERS FROM TIME TO TIME AS THEY ADDED RECORDS TO THE ROLL. THIS INFORMATION WAS FOUND ON MICROFILM ROLL 677 IN DRAWER T-623 AT THE WALTHAM, MA. BRANCH OF THE NATIONAL ARCHIVES. THERE IS A PRINTED PAGE NUMBER OF 49 (UPPER RIGHT HAND CORNER) AND TWO HANDWRITTEN NUMBERS LISTING PAGES 97 AND 31. THE INFORMATION WAS FOUND ON PAGE 31.

SCHEDULE 1. — Free Inhabitants in *the Town of Poland* in the County of *Cumberland,* State of *Maine* enumerated by me, on the *14th* day of *August,* 1850. *Tillson Williamson* Ass't Marshal.

The Name of every Person whose usual place of abode on the first day of June, 1850 was in this family.	Description age	sex	Profession, Occupation or Trade of each male person over 15 years	Value of Real Estate owned	POB	Whether deaf and dumb, blind, insane, idiotic, pauper or convict.
40. Seth Keen	*34*	*M*	*Farmer*	*1,000*	*Maine*	
41. Susan "	*32*	*F*			*"*	
42. Sally "	*11*	*F*			*"*	
ON NEXT PAGE						
1. Hannah Keen	*10*	*F*			*Maine*	
2. Moses "	*8*	*M*			*"*	
3 Martha "	*6*	*F*			*"*	
4. James "	*5*	*M*			*"*	
5. Joseph "	*3*	*M*			*"*	
6. Eliza "	*1*	*F*			*"*	

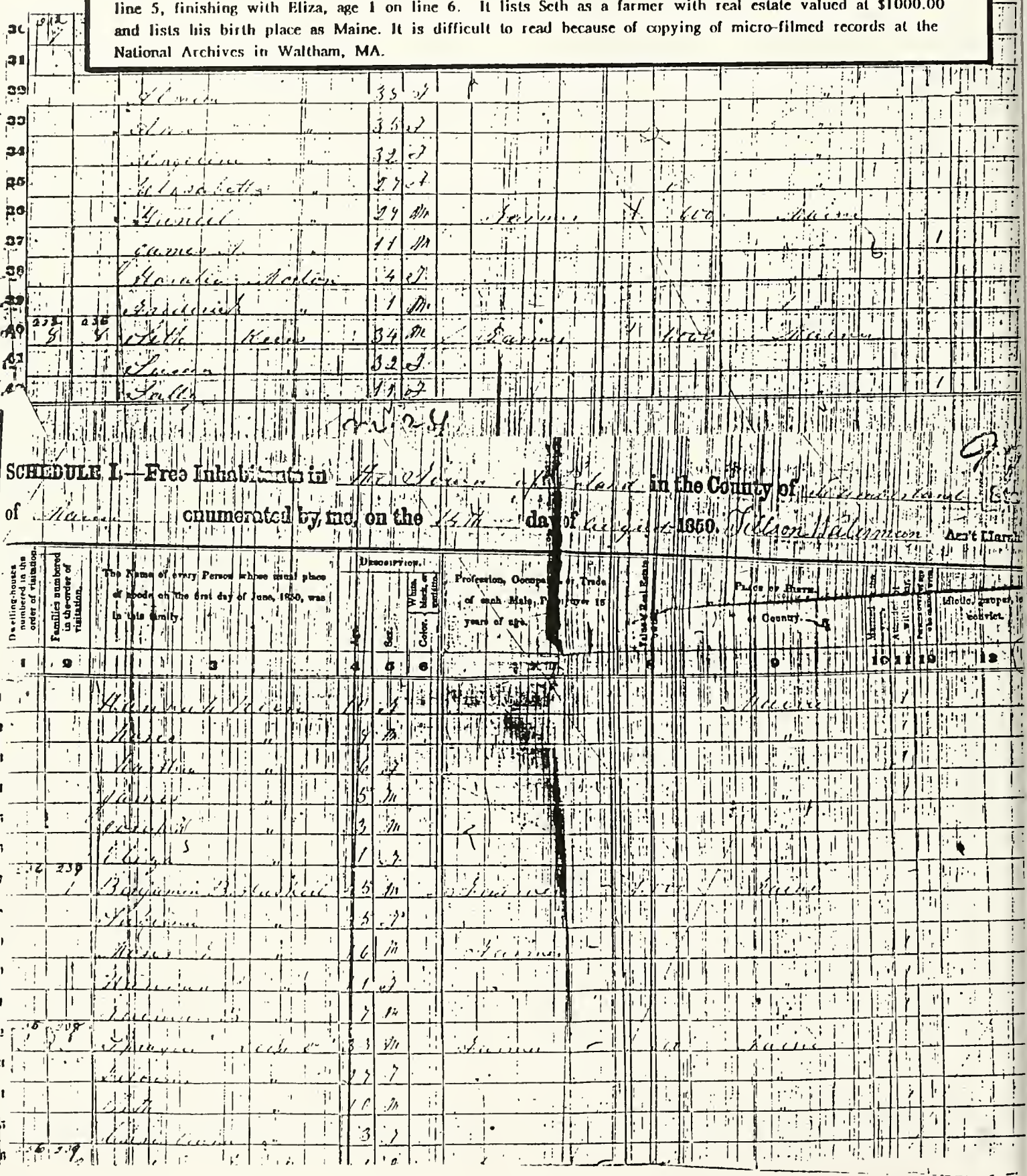
None of the above birth records could be found in the Maine Archives and no birth records for Poland, Maine could be found. The archivist stated that if they were not in the archives, they were either lost or did not exist. A check with a Poland, Me. city clerk revealed that all records were lost in a Town Hall fire in the middle 1850's which would account for the missing records. Our lineal grandfather, Joseph was three years old in 1850. I was able to trace the lineage from Joseph's death certificate which lists his father as Seth Keen and mother as Susan Emery and would have him being born in 1847. The family apparently moved to Massachusetts in the 1880's and settled in the Somerville and Everett areas. Joseph is buried in Woodlawn Cemetery in Everett.

Robert R. Keen - Dayton, Ohio 1991

SETH KEEN / JOSEPH R. KEEN CONNECTION

1850 POLAND, MAINE CENSUS (COPY OF ARCHIVAL RECORD)

Seth Keen is listed as head of family at age 34 at line #40, then Susan, at age 32 is listed on line 41, then Sally, age 11 on line 42. They then go to the next page and continue with Hannah Keen, age 10, line 1, then Moses, age 8 on line 2, Martha, age 6 on line 3, James, age 5 on line 4 and then JOSEPH, age 3 on line 5, finishing with Eliza, age 1 on line 6. It lists Seth as a farmer with real estate valued at $1000.00 and lists his birth place as Maine. It is difficult to read because of copying of micro-filmed records at the National Archives in Waltham, MA.



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of [illegible] enumerated by me, on the [illegible] day of [illegible] 1850. [illegible]

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Dwelling-houses numbered in the order of visitation	Families numbered in the order of visitation	The Name of every Person whose usual place of abode on the first day of June, 1850, was in this family.	Description. Age	Sex	White, black, or mulatto	Profession, Occupation, or Trade of each Male Person over 15 years of age.	Value of Real Estate owned	Place of Birth, Naming the State, Territory, or the Country.	Married within the year	Attended School within the year	Persons over 20 years of age who cannot read and write	Idiotic, Insane, or Pauper, or Convict.
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1790 MAINE CENSUS

EMERY	PAGE
BENJAMIN	59
BENJAMIN	64
CHARLES	58
CHARLES	68
DANIEL I	59
DANIEL	59
DANIEL I	72
DAVID	34
DAVID	37
EBENEZER	58
EDWARD	37
ISAAC	70
JABEZ	70
JACOB	69
JAMES	27
JAMES	37
JAMES	56
JAMES	59
JEREMIAH	54
JEREMIAH	68
JOB	56
JOB	65
JOB	70
JOHN	30
JOHN	36
JOHN	58
JOHN	73
JOHN jr	27
JOHN jr	36
JOHN (of York)	56
JONATHAN	37
JONATHAN	58
JOSEPH	34
JOSEPH	55
JOSEPH	58
JOSHUA	56
JOSHUA jr	56
JOTHAM	68
LEVI	36
MOSES	55
NATHUM	27
NATHANIEL	45
OBED.	58
RALPH	58
SAMUEL	36
SAM I	69
SIMON	56
SIMON	68
SIMON	72
THOMAS	59
WILLIAM	56
ZACHARIAH	69

1800 MAINE CENSUS

EMERY			
BENJAMIN	YORK CO.	ME 764	10010-02010-00
DANIEL	YORK CO.	ME1013	02001-00200-00
DANIEL	YORK CO.	ME805	11010-11010-00
DANIEL	YORK CO	ME763	12010-21010-00
DANIEL	YORK CO.	ME778	21001-21010-00
DAVID	LINCOLN CO.	ME369	32010-30101-00
EBENEZER	YORK CO.	ME733	11001-00201-00
GEORGE	LINCOLN CO.	ME564	31010-22010-00
GEORGE	YORK CO.	ME820	10100-10100-00
HANNAH	YORK CO.	ME816	00000-00110-00
HOSEA	YORK CO.	ME820	00010-10010-00
ICHABOD	YORK CO.	ME717	20010-20010-00
ISAAC	YORK CO.	ME984	41110-01110-00
ISAAC	YORK CO.	ME805	22010-22010-00
ISRAEL	YORK CO.	ME798	40010-10010-00
JABICH	YORK CO.	ME986	22001-00301-00
JACOB	YORK CO.	ME956	02101-02201-00
JAMES	YORK CO.	ME984	20010-10010-00
JAMES	YORK CO.	ME861	02101-11210-00
JAMES	YORK CO.	ME816	01201-00101-00
JAMES	YORK CO.	ME736	01101-00101-00
JEREMIAH	YORK CO.	ME936	12310-12201-00
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JEPHTER	YORK CO.	ME807	00101-00101-00
JOB	YORK CO.	ME908	00001-01101-00
JOB	YORK CO.	ME984	30110-10110-00
JOB	YORK CO.	ME718	01001-10101-00
JOHN	YORK CO.	ME1037	10201-01201-00
JOHN	YORK CO.	ME742	11010-11110-00
JONATHAN	YORK CO.	ME733	02010-00110-00
JOSEPH	YORK CO.	ME701	00100-10100-00
JOSHUA	LINCOLN CO.	ME489	00110-20100-00
JOSHUA	YORK CO.	ME658	21001-10101-00
JOSHUA	YORK CO.	ME698	00200-52210-00
JOTHAM	YORK CO.	ME957	30010-10010-00
MARK	CUMBERLAND CO.	ME207	10010-00100-00
MOSES	CUMBERLAND CO.	ME216	01111-01101-00
MOSES	YORK CO.	ME722	11000-20100-00
NAHAM	HANCOCK CO.	ME262	02010-30110-00
NAHUM	YORK CO.	ME820	00100-10100-00
NATHAN	YORK CO.	ME820	11010-11010-00
NATHANIEL	YORK CO.	ME752	10100-00100-00
NATHANIEL	LINCOLN CO.	ME564	20010-20010-00
NOAH Jr	YORK CO.	ME816	00100-10100-00
OBADIAH	YORK CO.	ME731	01001-00001-00
RALPH	YORK CO.	ME231	21010-31010-00
ROSES Jr	CUMBERLAND CO.	ME216	10010-21100-00
SAMUEL	YORK CO.	ME999	00110-00111-00
SAMUEL Jr	YORK CO.	ME870	00010-10011-00
SAMUEL	YORK CO.	ME805	00001-00001-00
SHIMEI	YORK CO.	ME1037	11010-10110-00
SIMON	YORK CO.	ME1036	21010-21010-00
SIMON	YORK CO.	ME801	20010-22010-00
SIMON	YORK CO.	ME718	10100-10200-00
STEPHEN	YORK CO.	MELL/	22001-10201-00
THOMAS	YORK CO.	ME956	10100-10100-00
THOMAS	YORK CO.	ME958	10100-10010-00
THOMAS	YORK CO.	ME752	41001-01101-00
THOMAS Jr	YORK CO.	ME752	10100-00100-00
THOMAS	YORK CO.	ME765	10201-11301-00
WILLIAM	CUMBERLAND CO.	ME207	01010-42010-00
WILLIAM	YORK CO.	ME718	01201-02001-00
ZACHARIAH	YORK CO.	ME956	00001-00001-00
ZACHARIAH	YORK CO.	ME958	00110-00010-00
EMORY			
CALEB	YORK CO.	ME816	31010-01010-00
CHARLES	YORK CO.	ME763	00010-01010-00
JAMES	YORK CO.	ME763	00001-00001-00
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JOSHUA	YORK CO.	ME763	11010-11010-00
NOAH	YORK CO.	ME816	01101-00001-00

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EMERY

The surname was borne in France before the twelfth century.

Gilbert D. Amory of Tours was a follower of William the Conqueror.

ANTHONY, carpenter, son of John, b. Romsey, Hants, Eng., 1600, came to N. E. 1635, locating at Newbury, Mass., in 1644 removed to Dover, N. H., afterwards Kittery, Maine, in 1662 was a resident of Portsmouth, N. H.

JAMES was made a freeman at Kittery, Maine, in 1652.

JOHN, brother of Anthony, b. Romsey, Hants, Eng., 1598, settled at Newbury, Mass., in 1635.

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EMERY,

Anthony, carpenter, of Romsey, came in the James in April, 1635. Settled at Newbury, 1637. Selectman, 1648. Rem to Dover and Kittery.

George, doctor, Salem, 1636. One of the appraisers of John Thorne's est. in 1646. The town agreed with him in 1647 about curing goody Lamberte. He deposed in 1662, ae. about 53 years. Wife Mary adm. chh. 1 (9) 1648. She d. about (9) 1673.

He d. 20 Feb. 1686-7.

John, carpenter, from Romsey, Eng., came in the James in 1635. Settled at Newbury. Frm. June 2, 1641. Town officer; kept the ordinary. His wife d. and he m. 2, Mary, widow of John Webster. Ch. Eleanor, (m. John Bayley,) Anne, (m. James Ordway,) John, Ebenezer, dau. b. 16 Sept. 1648, (m. John Hong,) Jonathan b. 13 May, 1652, Hannah, (m. Michael Emerson).

He d. 3 Nov. 1683. Will dated May 12, prob. Nov. 27, 1683, in his 83d year; beq. to wife Mary, dau. Ebenezer Hong, son Jonathan, gr. ch. Mary Emerson, to his six children; sons John E. and Abraham Merrill overseers. The widow Mary d. April 28, 1694. Will dated Aug. 1, 1693, prob. June 1, 1696, beq. to son Jonathan E.; to Israel's four daughters; to John Webster's son Israel; to dans. [Simons:] Abigail Merrill, Johannah — and Hannah Emerson; to son Stephen W.

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EMERY, ancient forename. Common in S. E. of Eng.

1 ‡***ANTHONY**, carpenter from Romsey, Hants, came in The James from Southampton in Apr. 1635. First set. at Newb., he rem. by 1640 to Dover, where he had recd. 3½ a. from Capt. Wiggin in 1637. Llc. to keep ordin. and sell beer and wine bef. 1643, selectm. 1648, gr.j. 1649. Resid. at Cold Harbor in Kittery by 1651, he was active there the next ten yrs., tav. and ferry keeper, jury 1650-1, 1655, selectm. 1652, 1654, comr. to adj. differences about town grants 1651, comr. on York-Wells bounds 1658, and memb. of Godfrey's council dur. its last days; but in freq. trouble over Quakers, and fined and disfranch. 12 Nov. 1659 for telling a lie in the face of the court. Lists 351b, 352, 353, 354-abc, 282, 283, 298, 29. Prep. to rem. to the more liberal R. I., he sold his prop. in Kit. to s. James 12 May 1660, his (2d?) w. Frances suing him in Oct. for ¼ of the purchase price. Recd. inhab. at Portsmouth, R. I., 29 Sep. 1660, he was prom. in town affairs and Deputy in 1672. Still of Portsmouth 9 Mar. 1680-1, he deeded his prop. after his own death to dau. Rebecca, then to her s. Anthony; was dec. in 1694. Three ch. ment. in petn. ab. 1643, but only two kn: James, b. ab. 1630. Rebecca, m. 1st Robert Weymouth, who d. bef. 24 Dec. 1661, 2d Thomas Sadler, 3d aft. 9 Mar. 1680-1 Daniel Eaton of Little Compton, his will 29 Apr.—21 Aug. 1704. She d. at Little Comp. 18 July 1719. The petn. made in her name for her late husband's prop. on Staten Isl., N. Y., 22 May 1676, represents that he had yrs. bef. aband. her and their three small children. Of her ch. we know only: William (Weymouth), called Weymouth alias Sadler in Maine rec. 1682. Joseph (Amory), presumably an unack. ch. Anthony (Sadler), made his grf. Emery's heir by deed 9 Mar. 1680-1.

2 ***JAMES**(1), as a youth liv. some time in the house of and worked for Richard Waldron at Dover. In 1654 land was laid out to him in Kit., where often gr.j., selectm. 1666 and many times, lot layer 1665, 1698-99, assessor 1680, 1684-85, Rep. 1680, 1693, 1695. Lists 282-284, 25, 29, 33, 298. See Champernowne (List 32). Two wives Elizabeth, the 2d one Elizabeth (Newcomb) Pidge, wid. of John of Dedham, whom he mar. 28 Dec. 1695. He was living in Dedham 1700-1709, in Kit. 19 Sep. 1717, d. bef. 15 Oct. 1719. Ch. by 1st w: **Elizabeth**, m. 20 Apr. 1677 Sylvanus Nock. **James**, b. ab. 1660. **Sarah**, m. 1st John Thompson, 2d Gilbert Warren. **Zachariah**. **Noah**, liv. in Stone's garrison with Philip Hubbard 1690, d. before 1694. List 298. **Daniel**, Dea. and Elder, b. 13 Sep. 1667, mar. 17 Mar. 1695 Margaret Gowen alias Smith. Selectm. 1704-12, 1718, surveyor 1706-17. List 298. D. 15 Oct. 1722; will 5 Apr. 1722, gave both his old and new houses to s. Noah. 10 ch., all named in their mother's will 26 Mar. 1748. **Job**, Dea., b. ab. 1670, mar. 6 Apr. 1696 Charity Nason. Selectm. 1719-20, 1726. List 298. His will 26 Feb. 1736-7—26 Dec. 1738, named 13 ch.; her will 26 Mar. 1748—6 Jan. 1752.

3 **JAMES**(2), m. 1st Margeret Hitchcock (Richard and Lucretia [Williams]), 2d Elizabeth, wid. of John Fost(1). He was selectm. 1697-98, jury 1695, 1699, gr.j. 1693, 94. Lists 296, 298. Will 28 Dec. 1724—7 Apr. 1725, names w. Elizabeth, 2 sons, 6 daus. and s. James' ch.; inv. 24 Mar. 1725. Wid. liv. 5 Sep. 1730, but app. dead in Mar. 1737-8. Ch. by 1st w: **Margaret**, b. 18 Dec. 1686, m. Samuel Smith. **James**, b. 18 Feb. 1688, mar. Elizabeth, wid. of Isaac Spencer, d. bef. 19 May 1724; she m. 3d Thomas Abbott, s. of Joseph(4). 4 ch. **Lydia**, b. 28 Apr. 1691. **Francee**, b. 17 Dec 1694, m. John Roberts. **Rebecca**, b. 7 Mar. 1697, m. 1st Capt. Daniel Smith of Bid., s. of Nicholas jr. of Exeter, 2d Capt. Nathaniel Ladd. **Samuel**, b. 2 Sep. 1700. **Elizabeth**, b. 7 Mar. 1703, mar. John Mureh. **Thomas**, b. 2 Dec. 1706, m. 22 Mar. 1731 Susanna Hill (Dea. Ebenezer of Bid.). 3 ch. **Lucretia**, b. 6 Aug. 1709, m. William Dyer, s. of Wm.(6).

4 **JOSEPH** (Amory), grs. of (1), weaver, d. 31 Jan. 1711-12 at Little Compton, R. I. The town clerk evolved synthetic dates which have been printed as records. Adm. gr. to wid. Elizabeth (Washburn, d. of Philip and Elizabeth [Irish]), llv. 1714. Ch: **Patience**, b. ab. 1682, d. 10 Mar. 1749-50, in 68th yr. (grst.), m. 25 May 1704 Richard Grinnell 1669-1725. **Rebecca**, d. 8 Apr. 1712. **Daniel**, b. 24 Aug. 1695, mariner, Lit. Comp., Portsmouth, Newport. He m. 24 Dec. 1721 Lydia Horswell. 8 ch. Besides the foreg. named in Daniel Eaton's will, perh. also: **John**, of Newport, freeman 1730, mar. (int. 18 June 1731) Judith Briggs. **Eliza**, m. 21 Sep. 1731 Aaron Sheffield. **Esther**.

5 **REV. SAMUEL**, grneph. of (1), b. Newb. 20 Dec. 1670, H.C. 1691, was chaplain at Wells garrison and min. there 1698, ordained 29 Oct. 1701. Lists 268b, 269a, 38. He d. in Bid. 28 Dec. 1724; wid. Tabitha (Littlefield) d. 27 Apr. 1736. List 269c. Ch: **Samuel**, b. 14 Aug. 1698, blacksm. in Falm., d. 1755. List 269c. M. in Bost. 22 Sep. 1726 Bathsheba Vose of Dorch., who surv. 7 ch. **Mary**, b. 7 Dec. 1699, mar. 1st Joseph Hill jr., 2d John Fairfield(2). **Hannah**, b. 10 Feb. 1701, mar. Francis Littlefield. **Sarah**, b. 29 Dec. 1702, m. 1st Nathaniel Gilman, 2d Hon. John Phillips. **Tabitha**, b. 23 Mar. 1704-5. **Stephen**, b. 3 Aug. 1707, H.C. 1730, pastor at Chatham, Cape Cod, 33 yrs., m. 8 Oct. 1742 Hannah Allen (Rev. Benj. of Falm.). He d. 24 May 1782, she 7 June 1799. 5 ch. **Irene**, b. 4 Mar. 1710-11, d. 1745, mar. Rev. Thomas Prentice of Ken'port and Charlestown, who d. in Camb. 17 June 1782. 5 ch. **John**, b. 2 Mar. 1715, d. in Exeter 1736, unm.

6 **ZACHARIAH**(2), b. ab. 1660. List 298. He m. 9 Dec. 1686 Elizabeth Goodwin, who mar. 2d 22 Dec. 1692 Philip Hubbard. Ch: **Elizabeth**, b. 27 Nov. 1687, m. Nathaniel Tarbox. **Zachariah**, b. 5 Oct. 1690, cordwainer, Chelmsford by 1711. First w. Sarah, d. 8 Oct. 1732, m. 2d 20 May 1733 Rebecca Reddington of Topsfield. 10 ch.

NOTES

1810 MAINE CENSUS

EMERY

JABEZ	YORK	833	WELLS
•	CUMBERLAND	338	CAPE ELI
BENJAMIN	WASHINGTON	711	BUXTON
BENJAMIN	HANCOCK	564	HAMPDEN
BRIGGS	SOMERSET	526	FAIRFIELD
CALEB D.	WASHINGTON	768	ELIOT
CALEB, ESQ.	YORK	687	SANFORD
CALEB, Jr	YORK	683	SANFORD
DANIEL	YORK	882	SANFORD
DANIEL	WASHINGTON	787	ELIOT
DANIEL	WASHINGTON	711	BUXTON
DANIEL	YORK	833	WELLS
DANIEL	WASHINGTON	793	YORK
DANIEL	SOMERSET	561	MERCER
DANIEL, Jr	WASHINGTON	767	ELIOT
DAVID	SOMERSET	501	25 MILE
DAVID	SOMERSET	526	FAIRFIELD
DAVID	KENNEBEC	735	25 MILE
DAVID	LINCOLN	239	BOOTHBAY
DENNIS	YORK	754	WATERBORO
EBENEZER	YORK	898	BIDDEFORD
EDWARD	SOMERSET	501	25 MILE
EDWARD, Jr	SOMERSET	501	25 MILE
EDWARD, Jr	KENNEBEC	735	25 MILE
ELIZA	YORK	898	BIDDEFORD
EZEKIEL	SOMERSET	576	VASSALBORD
FOREST	YORK	832	WELLS
GEORGE	WASHINGTON	791	YORK
GEORGE	LINCOLN	096	THOMASTON
HANNAH	WASHINGTON	767	ELIOT
HAVEN	YORK	898	BIDDEFORD
HENRY T.	YORK	683	SANFORD
HOSEA	HANCOCK	807	SWAN TRA
ICHABOD	WASHINGTON	791	YORK
ICHABOD, CAPT.	YORK	936	BERWICK
ISAAC	YORK	739	PARSONSFIELD
ISAAC, CAPT.	YORK	833	WELLS
ISRAEL	WASHINGTON	757	ELIOT
JACOB	YORK	834	WELLS
JAMES	YORK	833	WELLS
JAMES	WASHINGTON	767	ELIOT
JAMES	WASHINGTON	713	BUXTON
JAMES	WASHINGTON	682	LEMINGTON
JAMES	YORK	960	BERWICK
JAMES	SOMERSET	526	FAIRFIELD
JAMES	SOMERSET	550	NEW PORT
JAMES, Jr	WASHINGTON	713	BUXTON
JEREMIAH, ESQ.	YORK	984	STAPLEIG
JOB	YORK	936	BERWICK
JOB	YORK	716	NO TWP 1
JOB	YORK	754	WATERBORO
JOB, CAPT.	YORK	833	WELLS
JOEL	WASHINGTON	797	YORK
JOHN	WASHINGTON	791	YORK
JOHN	YORK	898	BIDDEFORD
JOHN	WASHINGTON	713	BUXTON
JOHN	SOMERSET	459	CANAAN
JOHN	HANCOCK	564	HAMPDEN
JOHN	HANCOCK	564	HAMPDEN
JOHN	YORK	754	WATERBORO
JOHN	YORK	752	PHILLIPS
JOHN 3.	HANCOCK	634	TWP 3 7T
JOHN, Jr	SOMERSET	460	CANAAN
JONATHAN	WASHINGTON	711	BUXTON
JOSEPH	YORK	936	BERWICK
JOSEPH	SOMERSET	459	CANAAN
JOSHUA	YORK	960	BERWICK
JOSHUA	WASHINGTON	713	BUXTON
JOSHUA	WASHINGTON	685	LEMINGTON
JOSHUA	CUMBERLAND	232	WINDHAM
JOTHAM	YORK	994	STAPLEIG
LEVI	SOMERSET	459	CANAAN
MARK	CUMBERLAND	370	POLAND
MARY	WASHINGTON	792	YORK
MOSES	YORK	951	BERWICK
MOSES	CUMBERLAND	321	POLAND
MOSES	CUMBERLAND	356	MINOT
NATHAM	WASHINGTON	787	ELIOT
NATHAN	HANCOCK	564	HAMPDEN
NATHAN	WASHINGTON	767	ELIOT
NATHANIEL	YORK	898	BIDDEFORD
NATHANIEL	SOMERSET	518	ANSON
NATHANIEL	KENNEBEC	728	VASSALBORO
NATHANIEL R.	WASHINGTON	711	BUXTON
NOAH	WASHINGTON	787	ELIOT
NOAH, Jr	WASHINGTON	787	ELIOT
PHILIP	YORK	833	WELLS
RALPH	YORK	898	BIDDEFORD
RICHARD	YORK	704	LYMAN
ROBERT	KENNEBEC	712	VASSALBORO
SAMUEL	SOMERSET	526	FAIRFIELD
SAMUEL	SOMERSET	494	TWP 5 P
SAMUEL	YORK	833	WELLS
SAMUEL	WASHINGTON	767	ELIOT
SAMUEL	KENNEBEC	846	WILTON
SAMUEL	YORK	759	WATERBORO
SAMUEL, Jr	YORK	899	BIDDEFORD
SAMUEL 3rd	WASHINGTON	767	ELIOT
STEPHEN	YORK	898	BIDDEFORD
SHEM	WASHINGTON	792	YORK
SILAS	SOMERSET	494	TWP 5 P
SIMON	WASHINGTON	791	YORK
SIMON	YORK	898	BIDDEFORD
SIMON	WASHINGTON	767	ELIOT
STEPHEN	WASHINGTON	713	BUXTON
THEODORE, CAPT.	YORK	882	SANFORD
THOMAS	WASHINGTON	711	BUXTON
THOMAS	YORK	899	BIDDEFORD
THOMAS S.	YORK	687	SANFORD
TIMOTHY	WASHINGTON	792	YORK
WILLIAM	YORK	687	SANFORD
WILLIAM	YORK	936	BERWICK
WILLIAM	YORK	985	STAPLEIG
WILLIAM	CUMBERLAND	371	POLAND

1820 MAINE CENSUS

EMERY

ABIGAIL widow	YORK	623	ELIOT
ALICE	YORK	367	BIDDEFORD
ANDREW	YORK	643	SOUTH BB
BENJAMIN	SOMERSET	110	CANAAN
BENJAMIN	YORK	500	BUXTON
BENJAMIN	YORK	408	KENNEBUNK
BENJAMIN	YORK	409	KENNEBUNK
BENJAMIN	PENOBSCOT	063	HAMPTON
BRIGGS H.	SOMERSET	216	FAIRFIELD
CALEB, MAJ.	YORK	527	LEBANON
CALEB, DR.	YORK	623	ELIOT
CALEB, ESQ.	YORK	551	SANFORD
DANIEL	YORK	544	SANFORD
DANIEL	PENOBSCOT	062	HAMPTON
DANIEL	YORK	623	ELIOT
DANIEL	YORK	500	BUXTON
DANIEL	SOMERSET	252	MERCER
DARIAS	SOMERSET	121	BLOOMFIELD
DAVID	SOMERSET	216	FAIRFIELD
DAVID	YORK	623	ELIOT
DAVID Jr	SOMERSET	216	FAIRFIELD
DENNIS	YORK	677	WATERBORO
EBENEZER	LINCOLN	129	BATH
EDWARD	KENNEBEC	693	25 MI. E.
ELIJAH	YORK	556	ALFRED
ELIJAH	SOMERSET	323	NO. 2 1
EZEKIEL	SOMERSET	241	ANSON
FORREST	YORK	431	WELLS
GEORGE	YORK	598	YORK
GEORGE	PENOBSCOT	050	1ST PLAN
GEORGE	LINCOLN	262	THOMASTON
HAVEN	YORK	366	BIDDEFORD
HENRY	YORK	561	SHOPLEIGH
HIRAM	YORK	485	PARSONFIELD
HIRAM	HANCOCK	650	SULLIVAN
HOSEA	HANCOCK	692	MONROE
ICHABOD	YORK	599	YORK
ICHABOD, CAP.	YORK	645	BERWICK
IRA	SOMERSET	290	INDUSTRY
ISAAC	YORK	500	BUXTON
ISAAC	YORK	362	BIDDEFORD
ISAAC	YORK	408	KENNEBUNK
ISRAEL	YORK	625	ELIOT
JABEZ	YORK	410	KENNEBUNK
JACOB	YORK	408	KENNEBUNK
JACOB	YORK	568	SHOPLEIGH
JACOB	YORK	682	WATERBORO
JAMES	SOMERSET	216	FAIRFIELD
JAMES	YORK	639	SOUTH BB
JAMES	YORK	408	KENNEBUNK
JAMES	YORK	516	LIVINGTON
JAMES	CUMBERLAND	127	GORHAM
JAMES	YORK	500	BUXTON
JAMES Jr	YORK	516	LIVINGTON
JAMES Jr	SOMERSET	269	NEW PORT
JEDOR	YORK	482	NEWFIELD
JEREMIAH, ESQ.	YORK	568	SHOPLEIGH
JEREMIAH Jr, CAP.	YORK	568	SHOPLEIGH
JOB	YORK	643	SOUTH BB
JOEB	YORK	409	KENNEBUNK
JOEL	YORK	623	ELIOT
JOEL	HANCOCK	607	EDEN
JOHN	SOMERSET	121	BLOOMFIELD
JOHN	YORK	500	BUXTON
JOHN	YORK	408	KENNEBUNK
JOHN	PENOBSCOT	063	HAMPTON
JOHN	KENNEBEC	460	WATERVILLE
JOHN	SOMERSET	171	RIPLEY
JOHN	YORK	682	WATERBORO
JOHN	LINCOLN	262	THOMASTON
JOHN	YORK	367	BIDDEFORD
JOHN	YORK	348	ARUNDEL
JOHN	YORK	358	BIDDEFORD
JOHN	YORK	411	KENNEBUNK
JOHN	CUMBERLAND	361	CAPE ELI
JOHN S.	OXFORD	187	BROWNFIELD
JONAS	LINCOLN	262	THOMASTON
JONATHAN	YORK	500	BUXTON
JONATHAN	SOMERSET	110	CANAAN
JONES	PENOBSCOT	052	3RD PLAN
JOSEPH	SOMERSET	121	BLOOMFIELD
JOSEPH	YORK	643	SOUTH BB
JOSEPH	PENOBSCOT	076	DIXMONT
JOSEPH 2ND	SOMERSET	121	BLOOMFIELD
JOSHUA	YORK	409	KENNEBUNK
JOSHUA	YORK	516	LIVINGTON
JOSHUA	YORK	639	SOUTH BB
JOSHUA	CUMBERLAND	127	GORHAM
JOSHUA	CUMBERLAND	210	PORTLAND
JOSHUA	YORK	381	HOLLIS
JOSHUA Jr	YORK	381	HOLLIS
LEVI	LINCOLN	299	MONTVILLE
LEVI	SOMERSET	121	BLOOMFIELD
LEVI, Jr	SOMERSET	121	BLOOMFIELD
MARK	CUMBERLAND	032	RAYMOND
MARY widow	PENOBSCOT	062	HAMPTON
MARY widow	YORK	647	BERWICK
MOSES	CUMBERLAND	313	MINOT
MOSES	CUMBERLAND	323	POLAND
MOSES	YORK	641	SOUTH BB
NAHUM	YORK	623	ELIOT
NATHAN	YORK	623	ELIOT
NATHANIEL	SOMERSET	241	ANSON
NATHANIEL	YORK	360	BIDDEFORD
NATHANIEL	LINCOLN	299	MONTVILLE
NATHANIEL	KENNEBEC	407	DEARBORN
NATHANIEL P.	YORK	500	BUXTON
NICHOLAS	CUMBERLAND	209	PORTLAND
NOAH	YORK	633	ELIOT
NOAH Jr	YORK	633	ELIOT
OBED	YORK	516	LIVINGTON
PETER	YORK	500	BUXTON
PHILIP	YORK	409	KENNEBUNK
RALPH	YORK	370	BIDDEFORD
RICHARD	YORK	672	LYMAN
ROBERT	YORK	562	SHOPLEIGH
ROBERT	KENNEBEC	505	VASSALBORO
ROBERT	HANCOCK	513	BELFAST
SALLY	YORK	570	SHOPLEIGH
SAMUEL	CUMBERLAND	209	PORTLAND
SAMUEL	YORK	361	BIDDEFORD
SAMUEL	YORK	370	BIDDEFORD
SAMUEL	SOMERSET	171	RIPLEY
SAMUEL	OXFORD	210	RATCHELDER
SAMUEL	YORK	614	KITTERY
SAMUEL	YORK	623	ELIOT
SAMUEL	SOMERSET	216	FAIRFIELD
SAMUEL	KENNEBEC	446	FARMINGTON
SAMUEL 2ND	SOMERSET	216	FAIRFIELD
SHEM DSA	YORK	593	YORK
SILAS	SOMERSET	152	HARMONY
SIMEON	YORK	629	ELIOT
SIMON	YORK	359	BIDDEFORD
SIMON	YORK	643	SOUTH BB
SIMON	YORK	561	SHOPLEIGH
SIMON	HANCOCK	692	MONROE
SIMON Jr	HANCOCK	692	MONROE
STEPHEN	CUMBERLAND	127	GORHAM
THEODORE	YORK	544	SANFORD
THOMAS	YORK	598	YORK
THOMAS	YORK	367	BIDDEFORD
THOMAS	KENNEBEC	427	TEMPLE
THOMAS	YORK	500	BUXTON
THOMAS	YORK	409	KENNEBUNK
THOMAS Jr	YORK	500	BUXTON
THOMAS S.	YORK	548	SANFORD
TILLEY	SOMERSET	216	FAIRFIELD
WILLIAM	HANCOCK	607	EDEN
WILLIAM	YORK	548	SANFORD
WILLIAM	CUMBERLAND	319	POLAND
WILLIAM	YORK	500	BUXTON
WILLIAM	CUMBERLAND	209	PORTLAND
WILLIAM	YORK	569	SHOPLEIGH

JOSEPH ROSCOE KEEN / MARY S. DOUGHTY

b. June 1, 1847
p. Poland Spring, Maine
d. July 21, 1925
Somerville, MA
buried Woodlawn Cem.
Everett, MA

b. March 10, 1851
p. Veazie, Maine
d. August 28, 1926
Bangor, ME
buried Woodlawn Cem.
Everett, MA

CHILDREN OF JOSEPH KEEN AND MARY DOUGHTY

MARY A. KEEN
b. c. 1870
p. Poland, Maine
d.
m.

EMILY J. KEEN
b. December 1, 1871
p. Poland, Maine
d. March 23, 1972 (VR)
Somerville, MA
Buried Woodlawn
Cem. Everett, MA
m. John H. Ward

MILLIE ETTA KEEN
b. c.1874
p. Poland, Maine
d.
m. Johnston(?)

SUSIE KEEN
b. c. 1876
p. Poland, Maine
d. California (?)
m. —Cotton

JOSEPH R. KEEN jr
b. c. 1879
p. Medford, MA
d. August 14, 1898
Somerville, MA
buried Woodlawn
Cem. Everett, MA

EDWARD SETH KEEN
b. October 1, 1884
p. Somerville, MA
d. November 23, 1911 (VR)
in Everett, MA, buried
Woodlawn Cemetery
m. Bessie May Towle

EVA G. KEEN
b. July, 1890
p. Somerville, MA
d. November 21, 1904
Everett, MA buried
Woodlawn Cem.

It should ne noted that Joseph's first four children were born in Poland, Maine and that Joseph, jr was born in Medford, MA c. 1879, then our grandfather, Edward Seth Keen, then another Eva G. Keen, both born in Somerville, MA.

The National Archives branch, 380 Trapelo Road, Waltham, MA, phone (617) 647-8100 lists in the 1880 national census for Massachusetts — Joseph Keen and Mary living in Somerville with their children -- Mary A., Emma J., Millie Etta, Susie (these children listed as born in Maine) and then Joseph jr is listed as born in Medford, MA. Death record indicates he was only 9 years old when he died. Since this was the 1880 census, Edward Seth Keen was not born yet. There was not an 1890 census for Maine or Massachusetts. The 1900 census for Massachusetts (film K500, T623, V66, E1207, Sheet 10, Line 53, Suffolk County) lists Joseph R. and Mary S. Keen living in Somerville with children Edward Seth and Eva G.'s death record indicates she was only 13 at time of death.

It is apparent that Joseph Keen and wife, Mary, came to Massachusetts about 1879 with four of their children, all born in Poland, Maine and their last three children were born in Massachusetts. Joseph's death certificate listed him as a Tinsmith, however, my father's sister, Violet (Keen) Augustus, of Worcester, MA advised that he spent most of his life as a plumber. She also advised that because our grandfather, Edward Seth Keen, died at age 27, there was little contact between the families and she could offer little or no information on Joseph's other descendants. I recall my father going to Boston and area to visit "Aunt Emma" (Emily J.) who lived to be 100. See death certificate.

We are following the lineage of EDWARD SETH KEEN (G10)

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The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY
DIVISION OF VITAL STATISTICS

STANDARD CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

Somerville (City or town)

1 PLACE OF DEATH County Middlesex State Mass. Registered No. 675

City or Town Somerville No. Chandler St. Hospital St., Ward
(If death occurred in a hospital or institution, give its NAME instead of street and number)
38 Chandler Street

2 FULL NAME Joseph Roscoe Keen
(If in the Army or Navy of the United States, give rank, organization, etc.)

(a) Residence. No. 13 Kensington Ave., St., Ward.
(Usual place of abode) (If non-resident give city or town and state)

Length of residence in city or town where death occurred 3 years months days. How long in U. S., if of foreign birth? years months days

PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

3 SEX: Male
4 COLOR OR RACE: White
5 SINGLE, MARRIED, WIDOWED, OR DIVORCED (write the word): Married

5a If married, widowed or divorced HUSBAND of (or) WIFE of MARY S.

6 AGE: Years 78 | Months 1 | Days 20 | If LESS than 1 day, hrs. min.

If STILLBORN, enter that fact here

7 OCCUPATION OF DECEASED
(a) Trade, profession, or particular kind of work: Tinsmith
(b) Name of employer

8 BIRTHPLACE (City) (State or country): Poland Springs Maine

PARENTS

9 NAME OF FATHER: Seth Keen

10 BIRTHPLACE OF FATHER (City) (State or country): Maine

11 MAIDEN NAME OF MOTHER: ------ Emery

12 BIRTHPLACE OF MOTHER (City) (State or country): Maine

13 Informant Mrs. John H. Ward
(Address) 13 Kensington Ave., Somerville, Mass.

14 Filed July 23, 1925. M. Warsoff
(Month) (Day) (Year) REGISTRAR

MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

15 DATE OF DEATH July 21, 1925.
(Month) (Day) (Year)

16 I HEREBY CERTIFY, That I attended deceased from July 11, 1925 to July 21, 1925.
that I last saw him alive on July 21, 1925.
and that death occurred, on the date stated above, at 8 P. m.
The CAUSE OF DEATH was as follows:

Cerebral Embolism 74-B

(duration) yrs. mos. ds.

CONTRIBUTORY (SECONDARY)
(duration) yrs. mos. ds

17 Where was disease contracted if not at place of death?
Did an operation precede death? Date of
Was there an autopsy?
What test confirmed diagnosis?
(Signed) Lewis N. Bump M. D.
(Address) 124 Sycamore St., Somerville
Date July 21, 1925.
(Month) (Day) (Year)

18 PLACE OF BURIAL, CREMATION OR REMOVAL: Woodlawn, Everett, Mass. (Cemetery) (City or town)
DATE OF BURIAL: July 24, '25.

19 UNDERTAKER: J. E. Henderson & Co.
ADDRESS: Everett, Mass.

20 I HEREBY CERTIFY that a satisfactory standard certificate of death was filed with me BEFORE the burial or transit permit was issued L. S. HOWARD Official Position Date of permit 7/22/25 Permit No. 675

I, the undersigned, hereby certify that I am the Registrar of Vital Records and Statistics; that as such I have custody of the records of births, marriages and deaths required by law to be kept in my office; and I do hereby certify that the above is a true copy from said records.

WITNESS my hand and the SEAL OF THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH at Boston on the date inscribed below:

JULY 14 1989

Elaine B. Trudeau
ELAINE B. TRUDEAU
Registrar

Form E-3

RECORD OF A DEATH

PEN 1926.

Place of Death Bangor

Street Parkview Ave No. 85

Name Mary S. Keen

How long a resident 3 mos

Previous residence Somerville, Mass

Sex F Color W Married, Single, Widowed or Divorced W

Deceased was husband of

" wife of Joseph R. Keen

Date of Birth: Year Month Day

Aged: Years 77 Months 5 Days 18

Occupation Housewife

Place of Birth Veazie, Me

Name of Father Lm. Doughty

Birthplace of Father Maine

Occupation of Father Lumberman

Maiden Name of Mother Permelia Dudley

Birthplace of Mother Maine

Name of Informant

Date of Death: Year 1926 Month 8 Day 28

Cause of Death Apoplexy

Duration 3 days

Contributing cause Arterio sclerosis

Duration

Where was disease contracted, if not at place of death?

If death was in a hospital, or other institution, give its name

Did an operation precede death? Date of

Was there an autopsy?

Name of Physician (or other person) reporting said death Alfred H. Schriver, M.D.

P. O. Address Bangor

Place of Burial Everett, Mass

Date of Burial Aug. 30, 1926

Name of Cemetery

Undertaker I. C. Trufant,

P. O. Address Bangor

Date when received by Town Clerk

STATE OF MAINE

I hereby certify that the above death record is correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Victor S. Todd

Clerk of Bangor

THE WOODLAWN CEMETERY

EVERETT, MASS., Sept 1 1926

TO THE CITY CLERK,
CITY OF EVERETT.

Gentlemen:

In accordance with Revised Laws, Chapter 78, Section 39, permission has been granted by me as Superintendent of The Woodlawn Cemetery for the burial of the remains of Mary S. Keen late of Bangor, Maine, age, 77 years, 5 months, 18 days, who died August 28, 1926, at Bangor, Maine. Cause of death Apoplexy

Undertaker in charge.

J. C. Henderson & Co.

of Everett

C. J. Hayes Superintendent.

1800 MAINE CENSUS

DOTY			
HOLMES	CUMBERLAND CO.	MB237	21010-12010-00
DOUBTY			
JOHN	CUMBERLAND CO.	MB286	10010-00010-00
DOUGHTY			
GEORGE	CUMBERLAND CO.	MB038	10012-31010-00
DOUTY			
AMOS	KENNEBEC CO.	MB122	01010-20010-00
BENJAMIN	CUMBERLAND CO.	MB079	22001-10101-00
DANIEL	CUMBERLAND CO.	MB074	11201-12101-00
DAVID	LINCOLN CO.	MB489	10100-10100-00
ICHABOD	CUMBERLAND CO.	MB076	21010-21010-00
JAMES	CUMBERLAND CO.	MB099	10010-20010-00
STEPHEN	LINCOLN CO.	MB487	00201-01001-00
WILLIAM	CUMBERLAND CO.	MB076	00010-00011-00

1810 MAINE CENSUS

DOTY			
PAUL	LINCOLN	303	MONTVILLE
DOUGHTY			
DANIEL	CUMBERLAND	078	BRUNSWICK
DAVID	CUMBERLAND	229	YARMOUTH
DAVID	CUMBERLAND	229	YARMOUTH
DAVID	SOMERSET	496	TWP. 4, 5
ELIAS	KENNEBEC	743	WATERVILLE
GEORGE	CUMBERLAND	129	FALMOUTH
GEORGE	HANCOCK	626	TWP 6, 8T
ICHABOD	CUMBERLAND	079	BRUNSWICK
JAMES	CUMBERLAND	190	HARPSWELL
JAMES	CUMBERLAND	257	GRAY
JAMES	LINCOLN	358	BOWDOIN
JOHN	CUMBERLAND	019	PORTLAND
JOSHUA	CUMBERLAND	257	GRAY
NATHANIEL	CUMBERLAND	229	YARMOUTH
SAMUEL	CUMBERLAND	217	YARMOUTH
STEPHEN	CUMBERLAND	078	BRUNSWICK
THOMAS	LINCOLN	180	DRESDEN
WILLIAM	CUMBERLAND	079	BRUNSWICK
DOUTY			
AMOS	KENNEBEC	858	MONMOUTH
BENJAMIN	CUMBERLAND	077	BRUNSWICK
SAMUEL	LINCOLN	005	TOPSHAM

DIRECTORY OF ANCESTRAL HEADS OF NEW ENGLAND FAMILIES - 1620- 1700

(Holmes)

DOUGHTY

FRANCIS was at Taunton, Mass., 1639, removed to L. I. 1641.

JAMES was at Scituate, Mass., 1649.

DOTEY or DOTEN

From the Welsh *Diotty*, an ale house. EDWARD, "Mayflower" passenger, a London youth, b. Eng., came to America as a servant of Stephen Hopkins, afterwards removed to Yarmouth, Mass.

1820 MAINE CENSUS

DOTY			
PAUL	HANCOCK	572	KNOX
DOUBTY			
EDWARD	CUMBERLAND	462	NORTH YA
GEORGE	SOMERSET	187	NO. 9, 8
ICHABOD	CUMBERLAND	389	BRUNSWICK
JAMES	CUMBERLAND	412	DURHAM
JAMES	CUMBERLAND	375	HARPSWELL
JESSE	CUMBERLAND	390	BRUNSWICK
JOHN	CUMBERLAND	389	BRUNSWICK
JOHN 2ND	CUMBERLAND	390	BRUNSWICK
STEPHEN	CUMBERLAND	388	BRUNSWICK
WILLIAM	CUMBERLAND	388	BRUNSWICK
DOUGHTY			
AMOS	KENNEBEC	544	HALLOWELL
DAVID	CUMBERLAND	463	NORTH YA
ELIAS	KENNEBEC	561	AUGUSTA
HEZEKIAH	CUMBERLAND	150	GRAY
JAMES	OXFORD	139	ALBANY
JOHN	CUMBERLAND	150	GRAY
JOHN	CUMBERLAND	207	PORTLAND
JONAS	CUMBERLAND	150	GRAY
JOSEPH	CUMBERLAND	085	WESTBORO
JOSHUA	OXFORD	139	ALBANY
NATHANIEL	CUMBERLAND	463	NORTH YA
SAMUEL	LINCOLN	154	TOPSHAM
STEPHEN	LINCOLN	154	TOPSHAM
THOMAS	LINCOLN	108	DRESDEN
WILLIAM	CUMBERLAND	463	NORTH YA

ADVERTISER DEMOCRAT, August 19, 1993

More than 60 Keenes hold their 68th family reunion in Poland

POLAND — The 68th annual Keene reunion was held Sunday, August 8 at the home of Fletcher and Norma Dunn in Poland. A bountiful potluck dinner was enjoyed by the family and guests. Coffee and punch were provided by the host and hostess. A social time was enjoyed prior to, during and following the lunch; the business meeting was held starting at 2 p.m. All joined in the flag salute and the Lord's Prayer. The secretary's and treasurer's reports were given and accepted.

David Young was given permission to take the reunion records for micro-filming, thus better preserving them.

Birth, marriages and deaths of family members were reported and recorded.

The youngest member attending was Audrey Elizabeth, two-year-old daughter of Matthew and Shirley Keene of Hilton, NY. Julia Keene, widow of Leslie Keene of Berlin, NH was the eldest attending. Traveling the greatest distance was Anthony and Shirley Brooks of Indianapolis, IN. A close contender was Robert and Beverly Keen of Dayton, OH; this also was their first time to attend the reunion.

Census by county and states was Androscoggin-25, Cumberland-eight, Franklin-four, Kennebec-one, Oxford-six, Penobscot-two and Waldo-three. States represented, other than Maine, were New Hampshire-two, New York-four, Massachusetts-four, Ohio-two, Indiana-two, and Illinois-one.

Anthony Keene Brooks reported that his mother, Ruth Brooks, asked to be remembered to the family and sent her greetings. He also gave some information on his research for family members, especially in Maine. Robert Keen reported on some of his genealogy research, also noting that his family line still spells the family name without the last "e."

A collection was received and bills paid. The same officers were elected to serve for the coming year: president - George Keene of Bridgton; vice president - Jon Keene; secretary - Denise Keene, both of Westbrook, and treasurer - Merna Bonney of East Livermore. It was voted to meet the second Sunday in August in 1994, tentative meeting place at the home of George and Betty Keene in Bridgton. If this is not feasible, the officers will decide on a place and it will be in the announcement mail-out next year. A rising vote of thanks was given the host and hostess, Fletcher and Norma Dunn.

About 60 Keene's and guests attended. They were: Elia and Rod McAllister of Locke Mills; Daniel Keene, Florence Keene, Betty Keene, and Shirley Keene of Auburn; Ed Keene and Lorraine Brown of Windham; Harold Keene and Fran Fitzgerald of Passadumkeag; Matthew, Shirley, Ashlea and Audrey of Hilton, NY; Martha Elkin of Springfield, Illinois; Julia and Gertrude Keene of Berlin, NH; Clara Keene of Canton; Geneva Hackett, Margaret Brissette, and Richard Keene of Mechanic Falls; Fletcher and Norma Dunn, Norrine Keene, and Frances Jordan of Poland; Dane and Brenda Tripp of Poland Spring; Walter and Elizabeth Bragg of West Paris; Paul Felker of North Waterford; Herbert and Eula Felker and Ruth Bean of Oxford; Bob and Nancy Keene Blue of Lexington, MA; Jay and Arlene Hoar of Temple; Patricia Keene of Lewiston; Clayton A. and Pauline Keene of Farmington; Jim and Alice Keene, David, Betty, Amy and Carrie Young of Danville; George and Elizabeth Keene of Bridgton; Shelly and Bill Vaughn of Belfast; Jonathan and Denise Keene, Karen and Susan Littlefield of Westbrook; Robert and Beverly Keen of Dayton, OH; Charles and Gilda Keen McCauley of Peabody, MA; Shirley and Anthony Keene Brooks of Indianapolis, IN; Elery Keene of Winslow; and Malcolm and Merna Bonney of East Livermore.

69TH KEENE REUNION HELD IN BRIDGTON

ADVERTISER DEMOCRAT
THURSDAY AUGST 25, 1994

BRIDGTON — The 69th annual Keene Reunion was held recently at the home of George and Betty Keene in Bridgton. A potluck dinner was enjoyed by all at noontime, with coffee and cold beverages donated by the host, hostess and family.

Following lunch, a business meeting was called to order by President George Keene. All joined in the Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag and the Lord's Prayer. The secretary's and treasurer's reports were read and accepted.

The youngest member attending was Susan Littlefield, daughter of Jon and Denise Keene of Westbrook. The eldest was Helen Keene Curtis of Mechanic Falls and traveling the greatest distance was Robert Keen of Dayton, Ohio, and his sister, Patricia Keen Stonerock of Union, Ohio.

The reunion voted to purchase a new registration book, also an old Keene family Bible.

Officers elected for the coming year were: President, George Keene of Bridgton; Vice President, Jonathon Keene of Westbrook; Secretary, Denise Keen, also of Westbrook and Treasurer Merna Keene Bonney of East Livermore.

It was voted to meet at the same place in 1995, on the second Sunday in August, with a potluck dinner at noon.

The suggestion to have a silent auction was accepted as a different activity for the 70th reunion.

A county by county and states, other than Maine, was taken. They included: Androscoggin, nine; Cumberland, 11; Franklin, two; Oxford, three; Kennebec, two; Waldo, three; New Hampshire, four; Massachusetts, two; Ohio, two and two visitors. Each person attending introduced himself and gave a brief family history.

Those attending were: Jay and Arline Keene Hoar of Temple; Jack and Sylvia Keene Weymouth; George and Elizabeth Keene of Bridgton; Ernest and Linda Keene of East Hebron; Herbert and Eula Conant Felker, Rodney Spiller of Oxford; Bill and Shirley Keen Vaughn and Maghen Vaughn, Belfast; Elroy and Helen Keene Curtis and Richard Keene, Mechanic Falls; Frances Jordan, Fletcher and Norma Conant Dunn, Poland; Bob and Nancy Keene Blue, Lexington, NH; David and Terri Keene Allen, Reymer, NH; Jonathan and Denise Keene, Karen and Susan Littlefield, Westbrook; Robert Keen, Dayton, OH; Patricia Keen Stonerock, Union, OH; Heather Steward, North Bridgton; Carrie Skiffington, Oakland; Walter and Elizabeth Bragg, West Paris; Malcolm and Merna Keene Bonney, East Livermore.

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JOHN F. X. DAVOREN
SECRETARY OF THE COMMONWEALTH
DIVISION OF VITAL STATISTICS

Somerville
(City or Town making this return)

STANDARD CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

Registered No. 159

1 PLACE OF DEATH: Middlesex (County) Somerville 274 (City or Town)
0090 No. Chandler Manor Nursing Home St. 38 Chandler St.,
(If death occurred in a hospital or institution, give its NAME instead of street and number)

PHYSICIAN — IMPORTANT

2 FULL NAME Emily J. Ward
(If deceased is a married, widowed or divorced woman, give also maiden name.)
(If deceased a U. S. War Veteran, specify WAR) no

(a) Permanent Residence. No. 38 Chandler St. Somerville, Mass. 274
(City or town and State)

MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

3 DATE OF DEATH March 23, 1972 (Month) (Day) (Year)

4 I HEREBY CERTIFY, that I attended deceased from Mar. 30, 19 63 to Mar. 23, 19 72
I last saw her alive on Mar. 21, 19 72 death is said to have occurred on the date stated above, at 11:30A

DEATH WAS CAUSED BY: IMMEDIATE CAUSE
(a) Cerebral Vascular Thrombosis — INTERVAL BETWEEN ONSET AND DEATH 8 days
Due To (b) Cerebral arteriosclerosis
Due To (c) Chronic myocarditis 4339
OTHER SIGNIFICANT CONDITIONS Diabetes Mellitus 10 yrs

Was autopsy performed? no
What test confirmed diagnosis?

5 Was disease or injury in any way related to occupation of deceased?
If so, specify no

(Signature) Louis J. Avallone M. D.
Louis J. Avallone, M.D.
(Print or Type Name)
(Address) 476 Broadway, Somerville, Mass. Date 3/24/72

6 Place of Burial or Cremation Woodlawn Cem., Everett, Mass. (City or Town)
DATE OF BURIAL March 25, 19 72

7 NAME OF FUNERAL DIRECTOR John Bryant's Sons
ADDRESS 181 Broadway., Somerville, Mass.

8 Informant Mrs. Estelle M. Cole (Niece)
(Address) 59 Risley St., E. Hartford, Conn.

PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

9 SEX Female
10 COLOR White 71
11 SINGLE MARRIED WIDOWED DIVORCED UNKNOWN (write the word) Widowed

12 If married, widowed, or divorced
HUSBAND of (Give maiden name of wife in full)
(or) WIFE of John H. Ward (Husband's name in full)

13 AGE 100 Years 4 Months 22 Days — If under 24 hours ..... Hours ..... Minutes

14 Usual Occupation Housewife (Kind of work done during most of working life)

15 Industry or Business: Own Home

16 Social Security No. -------

17 BIRTHPLACE (City) (State or country) Maine 18

PARENTS
16 NAME OF FATHER Joseph R. Keen
19 BIRTHPLACE OF FATHER (City) (State or country) Maine
20 MAIDEN NAME OF MOTHER Mary Doughty
21 BIRTHPLACE OF MOTHER (City) (State or country) Maine

I HEREBY CERTIFY that a satisfactory standard certificate of death was filed with me BEFORE the burial or cremation permit was issued:
Alice D. McDonnell
(Signature of Agent Board of Health or other)
Agent March 24, 1972
(Official Designation) (Date of Issue of Permit)

Received and filed March 27, 19 72
William J. Donovan (Registrar)

A TRUE COPY ATTEST:

...aned, hereby certify that I am the Registrar of Vital Records and Statistics; that as such I have custody of births, marriages and deaths required by law to be kept in my office; and I do hereby certify that the above ...rom said records.

...my hand and the SEAL OF THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH at Boston on the date inscribed

JULY 14 1989

Elaine B. Trudeau
ELAINE B. TRUDEAU
Registrar

KEEN GENEALOGY G10 PARENTS JOSEPH R. KEEN AND MARY S. DOUGHTY

EDWARD SETH KEEN / BESSIE MAY TOWLE

b. October 1, 1884
p. Somerville, MA (VR)
d. November 23, 1911 (VR)
Everett, MA buried
in Woodlawn Cemetery in
Everett

b. April 2, 1885
p. Somerville, MA
d. October 22, 1950
buried Glenwood Cem.
in Everett under name of
Bessie May SMITH
m. 1. Edward Seth Keen on
April 3, 1904 in
Lynn, MA
m. 2. George Walter Smith
d. 1943

CHILDREN OF EDWARD SETH KEEN AND BESSIE MAY TOWLE

ERNEST HOWARD KEEN

b. October 3, 1904
p. Everett, Massachusetts (VR)
d. January 28, 1979 (VR)
Dayton, Ohio burial
Memorial Park
m. Nancy L. (Hannah) Small

VIOLET MAY KEEN

b. February 3, 1907
p. Everett, MA
d. June 1, 1992
Worcester, MA
burial W. County
Mem. Pk. Paxton, MA
m. Megas Augustus

GILDA VOUNE KEEN

b. September 1, 1909
p. Boston, MA
d. September 15, 1912 (VR)
Everett, MA burial
Woodlawn Cemetery
Killed when struck
by a car in Everett

Edward and Bessie were living at 36 High Street in Everett, MA in 1912. Violet (Keen) Augustus gave me newspaper clippings of her father and also some old photos of Edward, Bessie and Ernest. Edward was an entertainer (death certificate lists "performer") and apparently was well known in the local entertainment field. I also have Edward's date book (performance dates) -- listing dates, times and cities of performance. He apparently had a pleasant singing voice. My father (Ernest) was seven when Edward died, so probably didn't remember too much about his father. After being widowed, Bessie married George Walter Smith of Nova Scotia, Canada, and they had a daughter ORA (Wallace) who died in Malden, MA on September 12, 1992 and is buried in Woodlawn Cemetery in Everett.

We are following the lineage of ERNEST HOWARD KEEN (G11)

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The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

STATE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH

REGISTRY OF VITAL RECORDS AND STATISTICS

No F 006508

COPY OF RECORD OF MARRIAGE

I, the undersigned, hereby certify that I am the Registrar of Vital Records and Statistics; that as such I have custody of the records of marriages required by law to be kept in my office; that among such records is one relating to the marriage of

EDWARD SETH KEEN and BESSIE MAY TOWLE

and that the following is a true copy of so much of said record as relates to said marriage, namely:—

Place of Marriage LYNN, MASS

Date of Marriage APRIL 3 1904

GROOM	BRIDE
Name EDWARD SETH KEEN	Name BESSIE MAY TOWLE
Age 21 Color	Age 19 Color
Residence EVERETT, MASS	Residence EVERETT, MASS
Number of Marriage FIRST Single, wid., or divorced SINGLE	Number of Marriage FIRST Single, wid., or divorced SINGLE
Occupation TINSMITH	Occupation GOLD LEAF CUTTER
Birthplace SOMERVILLE, MASS	Birthplace SOMERVILLE, MASS
Name of Father JOSEPH R.	Name of Father ERNEST E.
Maiden Name of Mother MARY DOUGHTY	Maiden Name of Mother ADELAIDE
Name and official station of person by whom married:	A. FORSTER CLERGYMAN
Date of Record JUNE 9 1904	

And I do hereby certify that the foregoing is a true copy from said records.

WITNESS my hand and the GREAT SEAL OF THE COMMONWEALTH at Boston on this 10 day of SEPTEMBER 19 91

Elaine B. Trudeau

Registrar of Vital Records and Statistics

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STANDARD CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

(City or town.)

[If death occurred in a hospital or institution, give its NAME instead of street and number.]

1 PLACE OF DEATH Everett (No. 36 High St.; Ward)

2 FULL NAME Edward Seth Keen

[If married or divorced woman or widow give maiden name, also name of husband.]

3 RESIDENCE 36 High St. Everett Mass

Registered No. 479

PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

4 SEX	5 COLOR OR RACE	6 SINGLE, MARRIED, WIDOWED, OR DIVORCED (Write the word)
male	white	Married

8 DATE OF BIRTH Oct. (Month) 1 (Day), 1884 (Year)

7 AGE 27 yrs. 1 mos. 21 ds. If LESS than 1 day, ... hrs. or ... min.?

8 OCCUPATION

(a) Trade, profession, or particular kind of work Performer

(b) General nature of industry, business, or establishment in which employed (or employer)

9 BIRTHPLACE (State or country) Somerville Mass

PARENTS

10 NAME OF FATHER Joseph R. Keen

11 BIRTHPLACE OF FATHER (State or country) Maine

12 MAIDEN NAME OF MOTHER Mary Doughty

13 BIRTHPLACE OF MOTHER (State or country) Maine

14 THE ABOVE IS TRUE TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE

(Informant) Mrs Edward S. Keen

(Address) 36 High St Everett Mass

15 Filed Nov 27 1911 Joseph H. Cannell REGISTRAR

MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

16 DATE OF DEATH November 22 (Month) (Day), 1911 (Year)

17 I HEREBY CERTIFY that I attended deceased from Nov. 6, 1911, to Nov 22, 1911, that I last saw him alive on Nov 22, 1911, and that death occurred, on the date stated above, at 8 P m.

The CAUSE OF DEATH* was as follows:

Typhoid Fever with Intestinal Hemorrhage

(Duration) ... yrs. ... mos. 25 ds.

Contributory (SECONDARY) None

(Duration) ... yrs. ... mos. ... ds.

(Signed) E. W. Young, M.D.

Nov. 24, 1911 (Address) 1 Broadway Everett

* If death followed injury or violence the certificate of death must be made out by the Medical Examiner.

18 LENGTH OF RESIDENCE (FOR HOSPITALS, INSTITUTIONS, TRANSIENTS, OR RECENT RESIDENTS).

At place of death ... yrs. ... mos. ... ds. In the State ... yrs. ... mos. ... ds.

Where was disease contracted, if not at place of death?

Former or usual residence

19 PLACE OF BURIAL OR REMOVAL Woodlawn

DATE OF BURIAL Nov 26, 1911

20 UNDERTAKER J. E. Henderson & Co

ADDRESS Everett Mass

WRITE PLAINLY, WITH UNFADING INK—THIS IS A PERMANENT RECORD.

N. B.—Every item of information should be carefully supplied. AGE should be stated EXACTLY. PHYSICIAN should state CAUSE OF DEATH in plain terms, so that it may be properly classified. Exact statement of OCCUPATION is very important. See instructions on back of certificate.

A true copy
Attest: John F. Hanlon
City Clerk

These obituaries or newspaper reports were found in the microfilm files of the Parlin Memorial Library in Everett, Massachusetts. I have retyped the news article or obituary.

EVERETT REPUBLICAN NEWSPAPER
P. 88 NOVEMBER 26, 1904

KEEN – In Everett, Nov. 21, Eva Gertrude, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph R. Keen, 14 yrs., 9 mo., 5 ds.

EVERETT HERALD
P.8 NOVEMBER 24, 1911

ACTOR KEEN DEAD

Edward S. Keen, aged 27, well known as an actor, died Wednesday at his home, 36 High Street. He had been ill with typhoid fever for some time. The funeral will take place Sunday afternoon, and Rev. Dr. George O. Hamilton will officiate. Mr. Keen leaves a wife.

EVERETT HERALD
NOVEMBER 20, 1912

GIRL KILLED BY AUTOMOBILE

Gilda V. Keen, three-year old daughter of Mrs. Bessie Keen of High St., was instantly killed by an auto owned and driven by George H. Cross, a Malden stable keeper of 26 Glen Rock Circle last Friday.

The auto party was going up High St. hill at 5 p.m., when the child, which had been playing on the sidewalk, rushed out in front of the car. She sustained a fractured skull, and the wheels of the car passed over her.

In the car at the time, with the owner, were John Wallace and George Kingsbury of Malden and Dwight Collins of Medford. After the accident, they went to the police station, and surrendered themselves. Cross being held in $1000 for a hearing. Witnesses of the accident say that the driver was not to blame.

The funeral of the little girl was held on Sunday.

EVERETT HERALD AND REPUBLICAN
FRIDAY, JULY 31, 1925

JOSEPH ROSCOE KEENE

Joseph Roscoe Keene, formerly of this City, died Tuesday at his residence, 13 Kensington Ave., Somerville, aged 78. Funeral services will be held at his home Sunday at two o'clock. The Rev. Ulysses Milburn of the First Universalist Church, Everett, officiating.

ADDRESSES AND INFORMATION OBTAINED FROM EVERETT, MASSACHUSETTS CITY DIRECTORIES

1906	Edward S. Keen	Tinsmith	35 Jackson Avenue
1906	Joseph R. Keen	Tinsmith	1A Blanchard Avenue
1908	Edward S. Keen	Tinsmith	12 Prospect Street
1908-1910	Joseph R. Keen	Tinsmith	334 Perry Street
1912	Edward S. Keen	(Actor)	b. 36 High Street
1912	Joseph R. Keen	Tinsmith	h. 687 Main street
1914	Joseph R. Keen	Tinsmith	h. 687 Broadway St.
1916	Joseph R. Keen	Tinsmith	694 Broadway Street
1918	Joseph R. Keen	Tinsmith	694 Broadway Street
1920	Joseph R. Keen	Tinsmith	694 Broadway Street
1922	Joseph R. & Mary S. Keen	Tinsmith	6 Nellson Avenue
1924-1925	E.H. Keen	61 Winthrop Street	
1926	Ernest Keen	61 Winthrop Street	
1928-1929	Ernest & Nancy Keen	Florist	66 Corey Street
1930-1931	Ernest H. & Nancy L. Keen	7 Hall Avenue	B.M. Keen
1932-1933	Ernest H. Keen	53 Prescott Avenue	
1934	E.H. & N.L. Keen	Florist	48 Mystic Street
1938	E.H. & N.L. Keen	emp. Colonial Beacon Co.	1 Washburn
1940	E.H. & N.L. Chauff. (Malden)	h. 6 Paris Street	

NOTES

BESSIE MAY TOWLE

EDWARD SETH KEEN
b. October 1, 1884
p. Somerville, MA
d. November 23, 1911
Everett, MA
burial. Woodlawn Cem.
Everett, MA
m. Lynn, MA 4/3/1904

b. April 2, 1885
p. Somerville, MA
d. October 22, 1950
Lexington, MA
b. Glenwood Cemetery
(SMITH) Everett, MA

GEORGE WALTER SMITH
b. June 11, 1878
p. Halifax, Nova Scotia
d. February 8, 1943
Everett, MA
b. Glenwood Cemetery
Everett, MA

CHILDREN OF BESSIE MAY TOWLE AND EDWARD SETH KEEN

ERNEST HOWARD KEEN
b. October 3, 1904
p. Everett, MA
d. January 28, 1979
Madison Twsp., Ohio

burial. Memorial Park Cem.
Dayton, OH

m. 1. Nancy Lillian Small
(nee) Hannah Lilian Small
5. Mildred Ida Comer
Ernest was married more times, but listed are wives in which children were born.

VIOLET MAY KEEN
b. February 3, 1907
p. Everett, MA
d. June 1, 1992
Worcester, MA

burial. Worcester County
Memorial Cem.
Paxton, MA

m. Megas Augustus

GILDA YOUNE KEEN
b. September 1, 1909
p. Everett, MA
d. September 15, 1912
Everett, MA

burial. Woodlawn Cem.
Everett, MA

died young

CHILD OF BESSIE MAY (TOWLE) KEEN AND GEORGE WALTER SMITH

ORA CAMERON LESLIE SMITH
b. February 22, 1916
p. Stoneham, Massachusetts
d. September 12, 1992
Malden, MA. burial
Woodlawn Cem. Everett, MA.
m. to Harold Wallace at time of death
dau. Georgeann Smith DeTucci
d. Feb. 16, 1993 Revere, MA

BESSIE MAY (TOWLE) KEEN

TOWLE GENEALOGY

EBENZER TOWLE	ELIZA DUPEE
b.	b.
p. Exeter, Maine (Now New Hampshire)	p. Boston, Massachusetts
d.	d.
burial.	burial.

ERNEST EBENEZER TOWLE	LYDIA ADELAIDE TUTTLE
b. June 17, 1849	b. August 8, 1854
p. Somerville, Massachusetts	p. Center Harbor, Maine
d. June 14, 1913	d. September 28, 1918
burial. Woodlawn Cemetery Everett, Massachusetts (6/8/13)	burial. Woodlawn Cemetery Everett, Massachusetts

Occupation listed as a mason - They were living a 36 High St., Everett, MA. at time of death

CHILDREN OF ERNEST EBENEZER TOWLE AND LYDIA ADELAIDE TUTTLE

VIOLA MABLE TOWLE	BESSIE MAY TOWLE	GEORGIANNA SCRIPTURE TOWLE	HARRY TOWLE
b.	b. April 2, 1885	b. July 11, 1878	b.
p.	p. Somerville, MA	p. Cambridge, MA	p.
d.	d. October 22, 1950 Lexington, MA (SMITH)	d. November 26, 1950	d. c. 1945
burial. Everett, MA	burial. Glenwood Cemetery Everett, MA	burial. Everett, MA	burial. Reading, MA
m.	m. 1. Edward Seth Keen widowed 1911 2. George Walter Smith widowed 1943	m.	m.

Ernest Ebenezer Towle was the son of Ebenezer Towle, however, it's unknown at this time if Ebenezer and Eliza had more children. It is more than likely there were siblings of Ebenezer and Eliza along with children of Ernest and Lydia, but it is unknown at this time. If anyone in the family reads this and has pertinent information regarding the Towle family, I would appreciate being advised.

Robert R. Keen Dayton, Ohio (1992)

BESSIE MAY TOWLE (KEEN) AS A YOUNG GIRL

ERNEST HOWARD KEEN
TEENAGER

EDWARD SETH KEEN

BESSIE AND SIBLINGS
L-R VIOLA MABEL, GEORGIANNA,
BESSIE AND HARRY

BESSIE MAY (TOWLE) KEEN

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

STANDARD CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

PLACE OF DEATH Everett (No. High Street St. Ward) (City or town.) (If death occurred in a hospital or institution, give its NAME instead of street and number.)

FULL NAME Gilda V. Keen (If married or divorced woman or widow give maiden name, also name of husband.) Voone

RESIDENCE 36 High Street, Everett Mass. Registered No. 379

PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

SEX female | COLOR OR RACE white | SINGLE, MARRIED, WIDOWED, OR DIVORCED (Write the word) Single

DATE OF BIRTH Sept. (Month) 1 (Day) 1909 (Year)

AGE 3 yrs. 0 mos. 18 ds. If LESS than 1 day, hrs. or min.

OCCUPATION (a) Trade, profession, or particular kind of work None

(b) General nature of industry, business, or establishment in which employed (or employer)

BIRTHPLACE (State or country) Boston Mass.

PARENTS

NAME OF FATHER Edward Seth Keen

BIRTHPLACE OF FATHER (State or country) Somerville Mass.

MAIDEN NAME OF MOTHER Bessie May Towle

BIRTHPLACE OF MOTHER (State or country) Somerville Mass.

THE ABOVE IS TRUE TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE.

(Informant) Mrs Bessie M. Keen

(Address) 36 High St. Everett

Filed Sept 16, 1912 Joseph H. Cannell REGISTRAR

MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

DATE OF DEATH Sept. (Month) 13 (Day) 1912 (Year)

I HEREBY CERTIFY that I have investigated the death of the deceased.

The CAUSE OF DEATH was as follows: Rupture of Liver and Stomach — Hemorrhage — Automobile accident

(Duration) yrs. mos. ds.

Contributory (Secondary) (Duration) yrs. mos. ds.

(Signed) Thos. McDonald M.D.

Sept 14, 1912 (Address)

MEDICAL EXAMINER

State the DISEASE CAUSING DEATH, or, in deaths from VIOLENT CAUSES, state (1) MEANS OF INJURY; and (2) whether ACCIDENTAL, SUICIDAL or HOMICIDAL.

LENGTH OF RESIDENCE (FOR HOSPITALS, INSTITUTIONS, TRANSIENTS, OR RECENT RESIDENTS)

At place of death yrs. mos. ds. In the State yrs. mos. ds.

Where was disease contracted, if not at place of death?

Former or usual residence

PLACE OF BURIAL OR REMOVAL Woodlawn | DATE OF BURIAL Sept. 15 1912

UNDERTAKER J.E. Henderson & Co. | ADDRESS EVERETT

Theatrical Notes

AT COOK'S.

For the first three days of this week the manager of this popular vaudeville house announces a fine program.

A very novel act in the way of a single will be that of Miss Virginia Huber champion lady whistler. This artist comes direct from New York and no doubt will make a big hit while here.

The feature act will be the Cole Trio, comedy acrobats. They go through a line of very clever stunts and keep the audience laughing all the time.

Ed. Keene is a black-face comedian who has a refined singing and talking act

ACTOR KEEN OF EVERETT DEAD

After an illness of three weeks, Edward Keen, well known as a comedian in vaudeville, died at his home at 58 High street, Everett, Wednesday. He was 27 years old. His father and mother, Joseph R. and Mary S. Keen, a widow and three children survive him. The funeral will be held Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock and interment will be in Woodlawn cemetery.

MAINE FAMILIES (TOWLE)
Portland, ME Library

TOWLE, not in Lower or Guppy. Descendants say the name is Irish, poss. a variation of O'Toole.

1 **BENJAMIN(6)**, Hampton, ±27 in 1700, ±85 in 1754, m. 7 Nov. 1693 Sarah Boaden (9) who d. 22 June 1759, ag. 88; he d. 29 May 1759. Will, 1758—1759. Ch: Mary, b. 20 May 1695, m. 1st 18 July 1717 John Sleeper(1), m. 2d 29 Mar. 1727 Thomas Page. Tabitha, b. 1 May 1697, m. 22 Feb. 1721 Jonathan Tuck(2). Abigail, b. 16 Sept. 1699, d. 13 May 1716. Martha, d. unm. 1 Mar. 1730. Patience, b. 8 June 1704, m. 17 Feb. 1725 Stephen Hobbs(10). Hepsibath, b. 2 Oct. 1706, m. 27 Feb. 1729 John Page. Sarah, b. 2 May 1709, m. 22 Jan. 1734 William Clifford. Benjamin, b. 24 May 1711, d.y. Benjamin, b. 3 May 1713, m. 30 Jan. 1735 Rebecca Garland, d. 24 June 1768. 7 ch. Elisha, b. 23 July 1715, m. 1 Mar. 1739 Ann Vittum. 11 ch.

2 **CALEB(6)**, Hampton and Chester, of which he was an original settler, m. 19 Apr. 1698 Zipporah Brackett(2) who d. 14 Aug. 1756. List 399a. He d. 20 Sept. 1763. Will, 1763, named 8 liv. ch. and heirs of s. Matthias and of dau. Elizabeth Brown. Ch: Philip, b. 18 Aug. 1698, m. 4 Mar. 1724 Lydia Dow(5). Elizabeth, b. 2 Dec. 1699, m. 1st John Fellows(2), m. 2d 1 Jan. 1724 Josiah Brown(33). Caleb, b. 9 May 1701, m. 18 Jan. 1727 Rebecca Prescott(2). Anthony, b. 30 Apr. 1703, m. 7 Nov. 1734 Sarah Hobbs. Zachariah, b. 13 Aug. 1705, m. 15 May 1728 Anna Godfrey. Matthias, b. 13 Aug. 1707, m. 13 Dec. 1733 Hannah Jenness (3 Hezekiah) and had ch. Sued Henry Trefethen 1744. Jeremiah, b. 12 Dec. 1709, m. 1st Hannah Dearborn, m. 2d Sarah (Sanborn) Tuck. Francis, b. 13 Jan. 1711, m. 1st one Prudence, m. 2d 4 June 1738 Judith Sargent. Hannah, b. 28 Mar. 1714. Nathaniel, b. 25 May 1716, m. 17 Sept. 1740 Lydia Tilton. Abraham, b. 29 Nov. 1719, d.y. Samuel, b. Sept. 1722, d. 14 May 1736.

3 **JOHN**, Piscataqua, fisherman, ack. that he had sworn falsely ab. Geo. Walton, 1652. See Gray(3). Rishworth wrote his name -Toutte-, Bacon copied a missing record -Towte-. He or ano. wit. Tanner to Fletcher, Portsm. 1668, and wit. for Withers 1675.

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Joshua, married Hampton, N.H. 1657.

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1790 MAINE CENSUS

TOWL			
JOSIAH	66	YORK	CO
PORTERFIELDTOWN	1 - - - -		
TOWLE			
FRANCIES	50	LINCOLN CO.	
WASHINGTONTOWN	223 - -		

1800 MAINE CENSUS

TOWLE			
ELISHA	KENNEBEC CO.	ME178	10010-10010-00
JABEZ	YORK CO.	ME883	10100-20100-00
LEVI	YORK CO.	ME885	00001-00001-00

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TOWL			
PHINEHAS	WASHINGTON	731	BUXTON
TOWLE			
BENJAMIN	KENNEBEC	894	MONMOUTH
BENJAMIN jr	KENNEBEC	894	MONMOUTH
JABER	YORK	737	PARSONSFIELD
JENNINGS	KENNEBEC	905	WINTHROP
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JOHN	SOMERSET	492	PALMYRA
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TOWLE			
AMOS	YORK	524	LIVINGTON
BENJAMIN	KENNEBEC	807	MONMOUTH
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DANIEL	OXFORD	158	PORTER
JAMS	OXFORD	158	PORTER
JENNIS	KENNEBEC	642	WINTHROP
JEREMIAH	KENNEBEC	607	MONMOUTH
JOHN	HANCOCK	889	FRANKFORT
JOHN	YORK	510	BUXTON
JONATHAN	LINCOLN	291	PALERMO
JOSIAH	YORK	481	NEWFIELD
JEREMIAH	LINCOLN	291	PALERMO
JONATHAN	SOMERSET	281	AVON
ROBERT	KENNEBEC	606	MONMOUTH
SAMUEL	YORK	510	BUXTON
SIMEON	YORK	489	PARSONSFIELD
SOLOMON	KENNEBEC	842	WINTHROP
DANIEL	SOMERSET	287	AVON
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AMOS	HAMPTON
AMOS Jr	HAMPTON
ELISHA	HAMPTON
JACOB	LOUDON
JAMES	HAMPTON
JAMES	HAWER
JEREMIAH	HAMPTON
JEREMY	HAWER
JOHN Jr	EPPING
JOSEPH	EPSOM
JOSEPH Jr	HAMPTON
JOSHUA	HAMPTON
LEMUL	HAMPTON
NATHANIEL	HAMPTON
PHILIP	HAMPTON
PHILIP Jr	HAMPTON
SAMUEL	CANDIA
SAMUEL	HAMPTON
SIMON	HAMPTON
SIMPON	RYE
ZACH'R	NORTH HAMPTON

TOWL	TOWN
ANTHONY	CHESTER
BRACKETT	CHESTER
CALEB	HAWER
FRANCIES	CHESTER
ISAAC	CHESTER
JAMES	CANTERBURY
JOHN	EPPING
JOHN	HAMPTON
JONATHAN	HAMPTON
JONATHAN Jr	RYE
JOSHUA Jr	HAMPTON
JOSIAH	HAMPTON
JOSIAH	EPPING
LEVI	RYE
NATHAN	RYE
ZECHARIAH Jr	NORTH HAMPTON

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TOWLE	
ABIGAIL	68
ABRAHAM	61
ABRAHAM PERKINS	68
AMOS	68
AMOS	68
CALEB	69
ELISHA	68
CALEB	83
JACOB	63
JEREMIAH	68
JAMES	69
JEREMY	69
JONATHAN	77
ISAAC	61
JABEZ	68
JONAH	66
JOSEPH	60
JOSEPH	68
JOSHUA	68
JOSIAH	68
LEMUEL	68
NATHAN	64
NATH'	68
PHILIP	68
SAM	68
SAM	68
SEMION	66
ZACHARIAH	74

TOWL	
BENJ TOWL	60
BENJ TOWL	63
DANIEL TOWL	82
FLEMAN TOWL	82
FRANCIS TOWL	62
JENNESS TOWL	65
JEREMIAH TOWL	82
JOHN TOWL	65
LEWIS TOWL	65
SAMUEL TOWL	61
THOMAS TOWL	65
WILLIAM TOWL	60
WILLIAM TOWL jr	60
WILLIAM TOWL	82
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TOWL			
CALEB	STRAFFORD CO.	NH1091	01010 10100 00
JAMES	STRAFFORD CO	NH1090	00000 40100 00
JEREMIAH	STRAFFORD CO	NH1091	10010 00100 00

TOWLE			
ABRAM	ROCKINGHAM CO.	NH1765	10110 10010 00
ANTHONY	ROCKINGHAM CO.	NH1765	00001 00001 00
BENJAMIN	ROCKINGHAM CO	NH1829	20010 11010 00
BENJAMIN	ROCKINGHAM CO	NH1838	10010 11010 00
BENJAMIN	ROCKINGHAM CO.	NH1771	00101 02001 00
CALEB	ROCKINGHAM CO.	NH1778	31010 30010 00
DANIEL	ROCKINGHAM CO.	NH1776	11101 01010 00
ELISHA	ROCKINGHAM CO	NH1776	10111 02011 00
ISAAC	ROCKINGHAM CO.	NH1765	10010 30010 00
JACOB	GRAFTON CO.	NH1812	01001 00001 00
JAMES	ROCKINGHAM CO.	NH1781	10301-00021 00
JEREMIAH	ROCKINGHAM CO.	NH1776	11110 10100 00
JEREMIAH	GRAFTON CO.	NH1391	21010-31010 00
JEREMY	ROCKINGHAM CO.	NH1781	20201 11211 00
JOHN	ROCKINGHAM CO.	NH1859	00001-21010 00
JONATHAN	ROCKINGHAM CO	NH1835	00001 00001 00
JONATHAN	ROCKINGHAM CO.	NH1819	10010 00010 00
JONATHAN	ROCKINGHAM CO.	NH1870	01201 01101 00
JOSEPH	ROCKINGHAM CO	NH1835	00010 21010 00
JOSHUA	ROCKINGHAM CO	NH1807	20010 30010 00
JUNCON	ROCKINGHAM CO	NH1835	20010 21010 00
LEVI	ROCKINGHAM CO	NH1718	13110 20170 00
NATHANIEL	ROCKINGHAM CO.	NH1829	01001 00001 00
NATHANIEL	GRAFTON CO.	NH1396	10010 10100 00
NATHAN	GRAFTON CO	NH1823	00010 00100 00
PHILEMON	ROCKINGHAM CO.	NH1776	41010 01010 00
REUBEN	GRAFTON CO	NH1389	02010 41010 00
SIMON	ROCKINGHAM CO.	NH1765	21310 11110 00
THOMAS	ROCKINGHAM CO	NH1771	20110 10100 00
WILLIAM	ROCKINGHAM CO	NH1771	32010 21111 00
WILLIAM	ROCKINGHAM CO.	NH1776	00001 00201-00

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TOWL			
JOHN	GRAFTON CO.	315	HANOVER

TOWLE			
ABRAHAM	ROCKINGHAM CO.	320	CHESTER
AMOS	STRAFFORD CO	766	EFFINGHAM
CALEB	STRAFFORD CO.	703	CENTER H
DANIEL	STRAFFORD CO	766	EFFINGHAM
DAVID	STRAFFORD CO.	769	OSSIPEVG
DAVID Jr	STRAFFORD CO.	768	OSSIPEVG
EBENEZER	HILLSBORO CO.	548	DUNSTABLE
EBENEZER Jr	HILLSBORO CO.	549	DUNSTABLE
EDWARD	GRAFTON CO.	375	HAVERHILL
JEREMIAH	GRAFTON CO.	315	HANOVER
JEREMIAH	STRAFFORD CO.	768	OSSIPEVG
JEREMIAH Jr	STRAFFORD CO.	769	OSSIPEVG
JOSEPH	STRAFFORD CO	769	OSSIPEVG
JOSEPH	ROCKINGHAM CO	320	CHESTER
JOSEPH	ROCKINGHAM CO.	213	HAMPTON
JOSEPH Jr	STRAFFORD CO	768	OSSIPEVG
NATHAN	GRAFTON CO	366	PIERMONT
OLIVER	ROCKINGHAM CO.	201	KENSINGTON
PAUL	HILLSBORO CO.	549	DUNSTABLE
PHILEMON	ROCKINGHAM CO.	086	RAYMOND
REUBEN	GRAFTON CO.	292	ENFIELD
STEPHN	STRAFFORD CO.	760	EFFINGHAM
WILLIAM	HILLSBORO CO.	550	DUNSTABLE

1820 NEW HAMPSHIRE CENSUS

TOWL			
CALEB	STRAFFORD CO.	932	CENTER H
RILEY	HILL. CO.	581	FISHERFI

TOWLE			
NO NAME	ROCKINGHAM CO.	311	E. KINGSTON
ABRAHAM	ROCKINGHAM CO.	197	EXETER
ABRAHAM	ROCKINGHAM CO	394	N. HAMPTON
AMOS	ROCKINGHAM CO.	399	N. HAMPTON
AMOS	ROCKINGHAM CO.	347	HAMPTON
BENJAMIN	ROCKINGHAM CO	333	EPPING
CALEB	ROCKINGHAM CO	342	HAMPTON
CALEB	ROCKINGHAM CO.	360	HAWKE
DANIEL	ROCKINGHAM CO	161	RAYMOND
DANIEL Jr	ROCKINGHAM CO	161	RAYMOND.
DAVID	ROCKINGHAM CO	347	HAMPTON
ELISHA	ROCKINGHAM CO	157	RAYMOND
FREEMAN	ROCKINGHAM CO.	167	RAYMOND
GORDON	ROCKINGHAM CO	320	EPPING
ISAAC	ROCKINGHAM CO	250	CHESTER
JABEZ	ROCKINGHAM CO.	347	HAMPTON
JAMES	ROCKINGHAM CO	350	HAMPTON
JAMES	ROCKINGHAM CO	155	RAYMOND
JAMES	ROCKINGHAM CO	360	HAWKE
JAMES Jr	ROCKINGHAM CO	350	HAMPTON
JEREMIAH	ROCKINGHAM CO	360	HAWKE
JEREMIAH	STRAFFORD CO	936	CENTER H
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JOHN	ROCKINGHAM CO.	346	HAMPTON
JOHN	ROCKINGHAM CO.	149	NOTTINGHAM
JOHN	ROCKINGHAM CO	121	PEMBROKE
JONATHAN	ROCKINGHAM CO.	137	CHICHESTER
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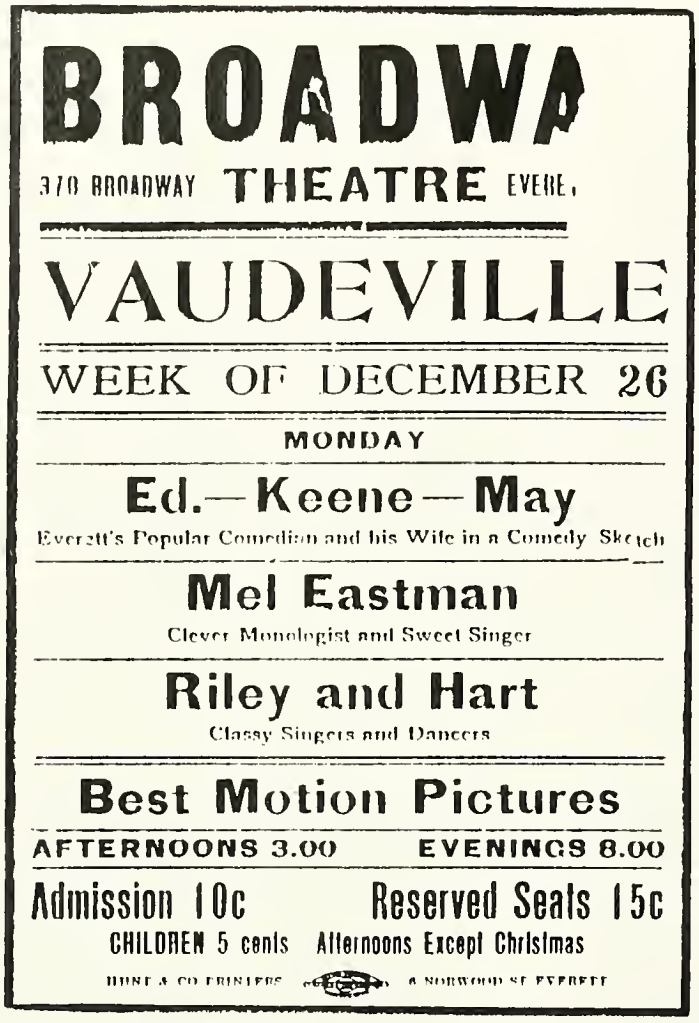

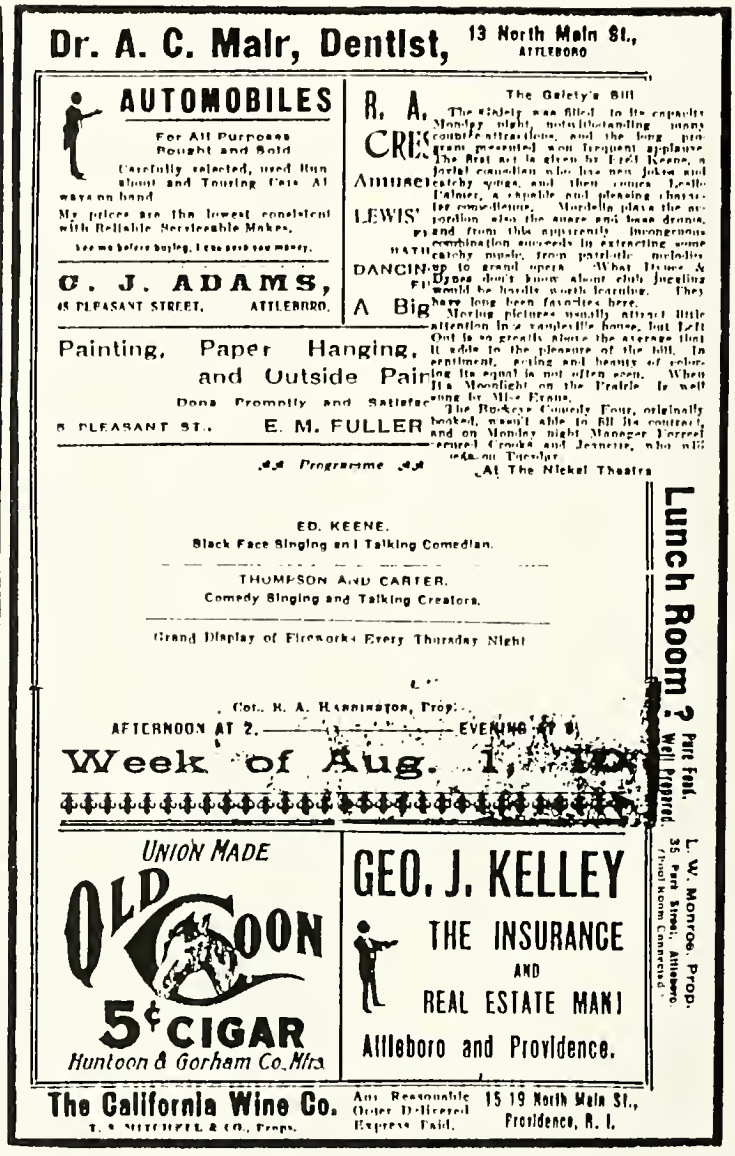

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"Popular Song".....Al. Mominee
Song.....Miss Bessie Keen
Final.....John H. Fagan and Al. Mominee
Overture.....Prof. Herb Colburn Orchestra

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Talking, Singing

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WM. E. WHITE, Manager

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CONTRACT

This Agreement. Made this 29th, day of Jan, 1910 19

by and between Harry Norton,

Manager of Winthrop Hall

of the city of Dorchester, State of Mass,

party of the first part, and Ed' Keen, party of the second part.

Witnesseth. That the said party of the second part agrees to do act professionally known as

Black face Comedy,

and to play any part that //// /// may be cast in a correct and painstaking manner for 3 days,

commencing on the (3d) third day of Feb. 1910 A.D. 19

Rehearsals commence

The said party of the first part agrees to pay said party of the second part for such services at the rate of

$12.50 for the three days,

$ Matinee + 2 eve performances

days and usual and extra holiday performances to constitute a week.

The said party of the second part agrees to abide by any and all rules of the said

5% 5%//// *Commission, to be paid the said WHITE & NORTON, for the making of this engagement or a prolongation of the same by said*

Send Photos, Property and Scene Plot, Time of act, Billing matters, Five Days in advance;

And the said party of the second part agrees not to play or perform at any other place of amusement in the city previous to this engagement unless by permission of the party of the first part or his authorized agent. It is especially agreed that incompetency or drunkeness shall be considered a suficient reason for annulling this contract without notice.

It is understood that White & Norton is in no way responsible for any breach of contract on the part either of the Proprietor or Artist, through whatever cause arising.

And the said parties of the first or second part can cancel this contract by giving two weeks notice in writing.

Remarks:

In Witness Whereof. We have hereunto set our hands and seals this 29th day of Jan, 1910 A.D. 191 , in the city and State of Boston Mass,

Signed, Sealed and Delivered in Presence of

Wm E White agt. [SEAL]

Ed Keen [SEAL]

NOTE THAT ED KEEN WAS PAID $12.00
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Testimonial,

TENDERED TO

BESSIE MAY TOWLE,

At Bacon Hall, Somerville,

Monday, March 9, 1896.

Programme.

PART I.

1. Violin ..... Selected
   Miss Lena Towle.
2. Dance ..... Hornpipe
   Bessie May Towle.
3. Reading ..... Jammie Douglas
   Katie Schick.
4. Dance ..... Tambourine
   Helen Higgins.
5. Song ..... Character Song
   Little Eddie.
6. Banjo ..... Selected
   Louis Parks.
7. Dance ..... Irish Reel
   Joseph Jenkins and Miss Georgie S. Towle.
8. Song ..... Selected
   Etta Adams.
9. Dance ..... Highland Fling
   Margaret Cullen.
10. Reading ..... Rock Me to Sleep
    Bessie May Towle.

DELSARTE.

PART II.

1. Reading ..... Helin
   Carl Wilton.
2. Dance ..... La Parapleane
   Justine McNaughton.
3. Reading ..... Selected
   Miss Georgie S. Towle.
4. Dance ..... La Cachuca
   Bessie May Towle.
5. Song ..... Selected
   Little Eddie.
6. Dance ..... French
   Justine McNaughton and Helen Higgins.
7. Song ..... Selected
   Etta Adams.
8. Dance ..... Original
   Joseph C. Jenkins.
9. Banjo ..... Selected
   Louis Parks.
10. Tableau ..... By Talent
    Good Night.

Under the personal direction of Joseph C. Jenkins, who can be had for Church Concerts, Festivals, Entertainments, Lodges, Banquets, Fairs and Private Parlor Entertainments, at reasonable rates. Other Popular Talent Furnished. Address,

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BESSIE WAS BORN IN 1885. SHE WAS NOT 11 YET, SO APPARENTLY SHE SHOWED DANCING AMD ACTING TALENT EARLY AND THAT MAY HAVE DRAWN HER TO EDWARD SETH KEEN

NOTES

JOSEPH R. KEEN
1847–1925
MARY S. KEEN, JOSEPH'S WIFE IS ALSO BURIED IN THIS GRAVE, BUT NOT MARKED ON THE TOMBSTONE. THE GRAVE IS LOCATED IN WOODLAWN CEMETERY IN EVERETT, MASSACHUSETTS. HIS INTERMENT NUMBER IS 51769 AND HER'S 52561.

ERNEST KEEN
1904–1979
FATHER OF 12 CHILDREN, ONE BY ANOTHER WIFE (NOT DOROTHEA, BUT MILDRED) IS BURIED AT MEMORIAL PARK ON NORTH DIXIE DR. IN DAYTON, OHIO.

GEORGE W. C SMITH
MASSACHUSETTS
OM SGT.
27 INFANTRY
JUNE 11, 1878
FEBRUARY 8, 1943
BESSIE MAY SMITH, nee TOWLE, widow of Edward Seth Keen, is also buried in this grave with her second husband. Her name is not on the tombstone. They are buried in Glenwood Cemetery in Everett, Massachusetts. She is interment number 20921. The mother of Ernest Howard Keen.

NANCY L. DURNING
1904–1992
FIRST WIFE OF ERNEST KEEN AND THE MOTHER OF 11 OF HIS CHILDREN, nee HANNAH LILIAN SMALL, BORN IN NEWFOUNDLAND. SHE IS BURIED IN GETHSEMANE CEMETERY IN WEST ROXBURY, MASSACHUSETTS.

ERNEST HOWARD KEEN

b. October 3, 1904
p. Everett, MA (VR)
d. January 28, 1979
Madison Twsp., Ohio (VR)
buried Memorial
Park in Dayton

NANCY LILLIAN SMALL
nee HANNAH LILIAN SMALL
b. December 15, 1903
p. Lewisporte,
Newfoundland, Canada
d. September 8, 1992
m. 1. Ernest Keen on
November 21, 1926
Woburn, MA
2. Chester Durning
1952 in Boston, MA

MILDRED IDA COMER
(5TH WIFE)
b. May 15, 1916
p. Winona, W. VA.
d. February 16, 1989
Dayton, Ohio
Name Spencer at
marriage, Stone-
rock at death

CHILDREN OF ERNEST KEEN AND NANCY SMALL

GILDA NANCY KEEN	ERNEST HOWELL KEEN jr	BESSIE VIOLET KEEN	DONALD EDWARD KEEN
b. October 20, 1927	b. January 23, 1929	b. April 29, 1930	b. June 20, 1931
p. Stoneham, MA	p. Everett, MA	p. Everett, MA	p. Everett, MA
d.	d. February 14, 1978 Philadelphia, PA	d.	d.
m. Frank McCauley	m. Christina Falciani	m. (1) Harrell Brannon (2) Joseph Moscaritolo	m. Mary Brown

CAROL BERTRAM KEEN	PATRICIA ANN KEEN	ROBERT ROGER KEEN	JAMES WALTER KEEN
b. November 28, 1932	b. April 20, 1936	b. July 3, 1937	b. August 14, 1939
p. Malden, MA	p. Everett, MA	p. Everett, MA	p. Everett, MA
d.	d.	d.	d.
m. Phyllis Ballweg	m. Edward Washburn	m. Beverly Ann Smith	m. Glenda Stultz

PAUL GORDON KEEN	JANICE LRAE KEEN	MAUREEN JOYCE KEEN	JACQUELINE RAE KEEN*
b. June 9, 1941	b. January 11, 1945	b. December 5, 1946	b. July 2, 1956
p. Everett, MA	p. Boston, MA	p. Boston, MA	p. Dayton, Ohio
d.	d.	d.	d.
			*Daughter of Ernest and Mildred
m. Ingrid Breinling	m. Anthony Elacqua	m. Joseph Gines	m. Rudolph Munday

Ernest Howard Keen was married six times -- Nancy, Helen, Isabel, Janet, Mildred and Dorothea. He is the father of eleven children with Nancy and one child with Mildred. His children always celebrated his birthday on October 30 and he never corrected us. His birth certificate states October 3. The birth record of his son, Ernest HOWELL Keen jr was never corrected. Carol Bertram was named after the doctor at time of delivery Bertram Carroll, and my father indicated he wanted him named Kenneth, but never corrected birth records. He was called "Kenny" by parents and siblings until long into his adulthood, later known as Bert. I was unable to locate a marriage certificate, however, Ernest and Nancy's divorce proceeding state they were married in Woburn, MA November 21, 1926.

ERNEST AGE 54

WE ARE FOLLOWING THE LINEAGE OF ROBERT ROGER KEEN (G12)

Commonwealth of Massachusetts

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

CERTIFICATE OF BIRTH

FROM THE RECORDS OF BIRTHS IN THE CITY OF EVERETT
MASSACHUSETTS, U. S. A

1. Full name of Child	ERNEST HOWARD KEEN	
2. Date of Birth	October 3, 1904	Hour -----
3. Sex, Color and if Twin	Male--White	
4. Place of Birth	Everett, Ma.	
5. Residence of Parents at time of Birth	21 Edith Ave., Everett, Ma.	
6. Name of Father	Edward Seth Keen	
7. Occupation of Father	Tinsmith	
8. Birthplace of Father	Somerville, Ma.	
9. Maiden name of Mother	Bessie May Towle	
10. Occupation of Mother	----------	
11. Birthplace of Mother	Somerville, Ma.	
12. Date of Record	February 16, 1905	

I, John F. Hanlon depose and say, that I hold the office of city clerk of the City of Everett, County of Middlesex, and Commonwealth of Massachusetts; that the records of Births, Marriages and Deaths in said City are in my custody, and that the above is a true extract from the records of Births, in said City, as certified by me.

Witness my hand and Seal of said City, on the 5th

day of May 1989

John F. Hanlon City Clerk

OHIO DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH
DIVISION OF VITAL STATISTICS
CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

Reg Dist No 57 — Primary Reg Dist No 5700 — State File No — Registered No 424 — 4275

1. DECEDENT - NAME (First / Middle / Last)	Ernest	H.	KEEN	SEX	Male
DATE OF DEATH (Mo, Day, Year)	Jan. 28, 1979				
3. RACE (e.g. White, Black, American Indian, etc.) (Specify)	white				
4. AGE - Last Birthday (Years)	74				
4b. UNDER 1 YEAR (Mos / Days)					
4c. UNDER 1 DAY (Hours / Mins)					
5. DATE OF BIRTH (Mo, Day, Year)	Oct. 30, 1904				
6. COUNTY OF DEATH	Montgomery				
7a. CITY, VILLAGE OR LOCATION OF DEATH	Madison Twsp.				
7b. HOSPITAL OR OTHER INSTITUTION (Name (If not in either, give street and number))	4626 Freudenberger Ave.				
7c. IF HOSP OR INST: Indicate DOA, ER/Outpt, Inpt (Specify)					
8a. STATE OF BIRTH (If not in U.S.A., name country)	Mass.				
8b. CITIZEN OF WHAT COUNTRY	USA				
9. ORIGIN OR DESCENT (Italian, Mexican, German, English, Cuban, Puerto Rican, etc.) (Specify)	English				
10. SOCIAL SECURITY NUMBER	031-03-8219A				
11. WAS DECEASED EVER IN U.S. ARMED FORCES? (Yes, no, or unknown) (If yes, give dates of service)	No				
12a. MARRIED, NEVER MARRIED, WIDOWED, DIVORCED (Specify)	married				
12b. SURVIVING SPOUSE (If wife, give maiden name)	Dorothea Schneider				
13a. USUAL OCCUPATION (Give kind of work done during most of working life, even if retired)	truck driver				
13b. KIND OF BUSINESS OR INDUSTRY					
14a. RESIDENCE - STATE	Ohio				
14b. COUNTY	Montgomery				
14c. CITY, VILLAGE OR LOCATION	Madison Twsp.				
14d. STREET AND NUMBER	4626 Freudenberger Ave.				
14e. INSIDE CITY LIMITS (Specify Yes or No)	no				
15. FATHER - NAME (First / Middle / Last)	Edward		Keen		
16. MOTHER - MAIDEN NAME (First / Middle / Last)	Bessie		Towle		
17a. INFORMANT - NAME (Type or Print)	Mrs. Dorothea Keen				
17b. MAILING ADDRESS (Street or R.F.D. No. / City or Town / State / Zip)	4626 Freudenberger Ave., Dayton, Ohio 45427				

18. DEATH WAS CAUSED BY: (ENTER ONLY ONE CAUSE PER LINE FOR (a), (b), AND (c).)

		APPROXIMATE INTERVAL BETWEEN ONSET AND DEATH
IMMEDIATE CAUSE	(a) Cardiac Arrest	not known.
DUE TO, OR AS A CONSEQUENCE OF		
(Conditions, if any, which gave rise to immediate cause, stating the underlying cause last)	(b) DUE TO, OR AS A CONSEQUENCE OF	
	(c)	

PART II. OTHER SIGNIFICANT CONDITIONS (Conditions contributing to death but not related to cause given in Part I(a)): Chronic Renal Insufficiency, COPD, Sick Sinus Syndrome. Congestive Heart Failure.

19. AUTOPSY (Yes or No): NO

20. WAS CASE REFERRED TO CORONER (Specify Yes or No): yes.

20a. ACC, SUICIDE, HOM, UNDET, OR PENDING INVEST. (Specify)	20b. DATE OF INJURY (Month, Day, Year)	20c. HOUR	20d. HOW INJURY OCCURRED (If injury, state source of injury in Part I or Part II, item 18)
20e. INJURY AT WORK (Specify yes or no)	20f. PLACE OF INJURY (At home, farm, street, factory, office bldg, etc. (Specify))	20g. LOCATION (Street or R.F.D. no., city or village, state, zip)	

To be Completed by ATTENDING PHYSICIAN Only

21a. To the best of my knowledge death occurred at the time, date and place and due to the cause(s) stated. (Signature and Title): Joseph Premanandan, M.D.

21b. DATE SIGNED (Mo, Day, Year): 2/5/79

21c. HOUR OF DEATH: 10:30 P M

To be Completed by CORONER Only

22a. On the basis of examination and/or investigation, in my opinion death occurred at the time, date and place and due to the cause(s) stated. (Signature and Title)

22b. DATE SIGNED (Mo, Day, Year)

22c. HOUR OF DEATH M

22d. PRONOUNCED DEAD (Mo, Day, Year) ON

22e. PRONOUNCED DEAD (Hour) AT M

21. NAME AND ADDRESS OF CERTIFIER (PHYSICIAN OR CORONER) (Type or Print) (Street or R.F.D. no., city or village, state, zip): JOSEPH PREMANANDAN, 2882 Philadelphia Dr. Dayton, OH 45406

23a. BURIAL, CREMATION, OTHER (Specify)	23b. DATE	24a. NAME OF CEMETERY OR CREMATORY	24b. LOCATION (City, village, or township)		
Burial	Feb. 1, 1979	Memorial Park	Montgomery Co.	Ohio	
25. NAME OF EMBALMER	LIC No.	26. FUNERAL DIRECTOR'S SIGNATURE	LIC No.		
Ieland H. Vance	4829A	James F. Walter	2749		
27. FUNERAL FIRM AND ADDRESS	(STREET NO.)	(CITY)	(STATE)	(ZIP)	
Walter Funeral Service	1235 N. Main St.,	Dayton	Ohio	45405	
28. DATE REC'D BY LOCAL REG	29. REGISTRAR'S SIGNATURE	30. DATE PERMIT ISSUED	31. SIGNATURE OF PERSON ISSUING PERMIT	DIST. No.	
2-5-79	Sylvia Christ				

I HEREBY CERTIFY THE ABOVE TO BE A TRUE AND COMPLETE PHOTOGRAPHIC REPRODUCTION OF THE CERTIFICATE ON FILE IN THE OFFICE OF THE COMBINED HEALTH DISTRICT OF MONTGOMERY COUNTY, DAYTON, OHIO. 1-2291

THIS CERTIFICATE IS NOT VALID
UNLESS SEALED BY LOCAL REGISTRAR

MARRIAGE AND DIVORCE RECORD
ERNEST AND NANCY KEEN
MIDDLESEX COUNTY, MA.
RECORD INDICATES MARRIAGE ON NOVEMBER 21, 1926 IN WOBURN, MA.
UNABLE TO FIND RECORD OF MARRIAGE IN MA. VITAL RECORDS OR IN WOBURN

(292)

To the Honorable the Judges of the Probate Court in and for the County of Middlesex:

RESPECTFULLY libels and represents Ernest H. Keen

of Everett in the County of Middlesex

that he was lawfully married to Nancy L. Keen

now of Everett

at Woburn, Mass.

on the 20th 21st day of November 19 26,

and thereafter your libellant and the said libellee lived together as husband and wife in this Commonwealth, to wit: at Everett

and last lived together at Everett

that your libellant has always been faithful to their marriage vows and obligations, but the said libellee being wholly regardless of the same, at Everett

on March 17th, 1941, did utterly desert your libellant for more than three consecutive years next prior to the filing of this libel.

that there has been born to them nine children who are living,

and who are minors whose name and date of birth are as follows:

Gilda Keen born Oct. 20, 1927
Ernest Keen born Jan. 22, 1929
Bessie Keen born Apr. 30, 1930
Donald Keen born June 20, 1931
Bertram Keen born Nov. 27, 1932.
Patricia Keen born Apr. 20, 1936
Robert Keen born July 3, 1937
James Keen born Aug. 14, 1939
Paul Keen born June 10, 1940.

8000-1-48

(A.C. 153)

No. 25477

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

MIDDLESEX, ss. PROBATE COURT

I, JOHN V. HARVEY, Register of Probate Court for said County of Middlesex, having, by law, custody of the seal and all the records, books, documents, and papers of or appertaining to said Court, hereby certify the papers hereto annexed to be true copies of papers appertaining to said Court, and on file and of record in the office of said Court, to wit:

Decree nisi on a libel for divorce, as amended, brought by Ernest H. Keen of Everett, in said County of Middlesex, against Nancy L. Keen of said Everett, Decree dated April 8, 1946 on a Petition for Modification of said decree nisi filed April 8, 1946 and an Interlocutory Order dated January 30, 1950 on a Petition for Modification filed January 30, 1950 in the above case.

I also certify that on October 3, 1945, six months from the date of said decree nisi having expired, and the Court not having otherwise ordered, said decree of divorce became absolute.

And I also certify that it appears by the records and files of said Court that said decree nisi, except as affected by the decree on said modification and said Interlocutory Order, remains in full force.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, *I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the seal of said Court, this* twenty-fourth *day of* June *in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and fifty-eight.*

John V. Harvey *Register.*

MFD
55-12-01

VIOLET MAY KEEN / MEGAS NICHOLAS AUGUSTUS

b. February 3, 1907
p. Everett, Massachusetts
d. June 1, 1992
Worcester County Mem. Pk.
Paxton, MA

b. March 4, 1895
p. Athens, Greece
d. October 29, 1979
Worcester County Mem. Pk.
Paxton, MA

CHILDREN OF VIOLET MAY KEEN AND MEGAS NICHOLAS AUGUSTUS

BARBARA VIOLET AUGUSTUS
b. August 22, 1934
p. Boston, MA
d.
m. Never married
or had children

GEORGE ANDREW AUGUSTUS
b. July 5, 1944
p. Worcester, MA
d.

m. 1. Nancy Agnes Lambert
b. November 4, 1946.
p. Worcester, MA
2. Delores Dixon
May 16, 1956
Lapeer, Michigan

EDWARD MICHAEL AUGUSTUS
b. June 4, 1938
p. Worcester, MA
d.

m. Dolores Pearson
b. October 25, 1946
p. Bangor, Maine

CHILD OF GEORGE AND NANCY

GEORGE ANDREW AUGUSTUS jr
b. April 15, 1968
p. Plattsburg AFB, New York

CHILDREN OF GEORGE AND DELORES

TIMOTHY VERNON AUGUSTUS
b. September 5, 1979
p. Mt. Home AFB, Idaho

RANDY ALAN AUGUSTUS
b. October 11, 1984
p. Lapeer, Michigan

CHILDREN OF EDWARD MICHAEL AUGUSTUS AND DOLORES PEARSON

EDWARD MICHAEL AUGUSTUS jr
b. March 31, 1965
p. Worcester, MA

MICHAEL EARL AUGUSTUS
b. October 16, 1967
p. Worcester, MA

HEATHER ANN AUGUSTUS
b. August 27, 1980
p. Worcester, MA

BARBARA AND EDWARD LIVING IN WORCESTER, MASSACHUSETTS (1992) AND GEORGE LIVING IN COLUMBIAVILLE, MICHIGAN (1992).

VIOLET MAY KEEN WAS THE SISTER OF ERNEST HOWARD KEEN (G11).

Commonwealth of Massachusetts

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

CERTIFICATE OF BIRTH

FROM THE RECORDS OF BIRTHS IN THE CITY OF EVERETT
MASSACHUSETTS, U. S. A.

1. Full name of Child	VIOLET MAY KEEN
2. Date of Birth	February 3, 1907
3. Sex, Color and if Twin	Female - White - (1)
4. Place of Birth	Everett, Massachusetts
5. Residence of Parents at time of Birth	Everett, Massachusetts
6. Name of Father	Edward Seth Keen
7. Occupation of Father	Tinsmith
8. Birthplace of Father	Somerville, Massachusetts
9. Maiden name of Mother	Bessie May Towle
10. Birthplace of Mother	Somerville, Massachusetts
11. Date of Record	February 21, 1908

I, J. Kevin Dunn depose and say, that I hold the office of city clerk of the City of Everett, County of Middlesex, and Commonwealth of Massachusetts; that the records of Births, Marriages and Deaths in said City are in my custody, and that the above is a true extract from the records of Births, in said City, as certified by me.

Witness my hand and the Seal of said City, on the 19th

day of November, 1971

J. Kevin Dunn

City Clerk

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DECEDENT

INFORMANT

DISPOSITION

CERTIFIER

ONLY

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

STANDARD CERTIFICATE OF DEATH
REGISTRY OF VITAL RECORDS AND STATISTICS

921418 — REGISTERED NUMBER

143 — STATE USE ONLY

1 DECEDENT - NAME FIRST	MIDDLE	LAST	2 SEX	3 DATE OF DEATH (Mo., Day, Yr.)
VIOLET	MAY	AUGUSTUS	Female	June 1, 1992

4a PLACE OF DEATH (City/Town)	4b COUNTY OF DEATH	4c HOSPITAL OR OTHER INSTITUTION - Name (If not in either, give street and number)
Worcester	Worcester	19K Goldthwaite Road

5 PLACE OF DEATH (Check only one): HOSPITAL: ☐ Inpatient ☐ ER/Outpatient ☐ DOA — OTHER: ☐ Nursing Home ☒ Residence ☐ Other (Specify)

8 SOCIAL SECURITY NUMBER	7 IF US WAR VETERAN SPECIFY WAR
010-30-3951	--

6a WAS DECEDENT OF HISPANIC ORIGIN? (If yes, Specify Puerto Rican, Dominican, Cuban, etc.) ☐ NO ☐ YES 6a Specify:	6b RACE (e.g. White, Black, American Indian, etc.) (Specify): White	9 DECEDENT'S EDUCATION (Highest Grade Completed) Elem/Sec (0-12) / College (1-4, 5+)
		10

10a AGE - Last Birthday (Yrs.)	UNDER 1 YEAR MOS b	DAYS	UNDER 1 DAY HOURS c	MINS	10b DATE OF BIRTH (Mo., Day, Yr.)	11 BIRTHPLACE (City and State or Foreign Country)
85					Feb. 3, 1907	Everett, MA

12 MARRIED, NEVER MARRIED WIDOWED OR DIVORCED	13 LAST SPOUSE (If wife, give maiden name)	14a USUAL OCCUPATION (Prior - If retired)	14b KIND OF BUSINESS OR INDUSTRY
Widowed	Megas Augustus	Stitcher	Brite Cleaners

15a RESIDENCE - NO. & ST., CITY/TOWN, COUNTY, STATE/COUNTRY	15b ZIP CODE
19K Goldthwaite Rd. Worcester, Worcester, MA	01605

16 FATHER - FULL NAME	17 STATE OF BIRTH (If not in US, name country)	18 MOTHER - NAME (GIVEN) (MAIDEN)	19 STATE OF BIRTH (If not in US, name country)
Edward S. Keen	MA	Bessie M. Towle	MA

20 INFORMANT'S NAME	21 MAILING ADDRESS - NO. & ST., CITY/TOWN, STATE, ZIP CODE	22 RELATIONSHIP
Barbara V. Augustus	19K Goldthwaite Rd. Worcester, MA 01605	Daughter

23 METHOD OF DISPOSITION ☒ BURIAL ☐ CREMATION ☐ ENTOMBMENT ☐ REMOVAL FROM STATE ☐ DONATION ☐ OTH. SPEC:	24 FUNERAL SERVICE LICENSEE	25 LICENSE #
	John S. O'Connor	6382

26a PLACE OF DISPOSITION (Name of Cemetery, Crematory or other)	26b LOCATION (City/Town, State)
Worcester County Memorial Park	Paxton, MA

27 DATE OF DISPOSITION (Mo., Day, Yr.)	28 NAME AND ADDRESS OF FACILITY
June 4, 1992	O'Connor Bros. Funeral Home 592 Park Avenue, Worcester, MA 01603

29 PART I - Enter the diseases, injuries, or complications that caused the death. Do not use only the mode of dying, such as cardiac or respiratory arrest, shock or heart failure. List only one cause on each line (a through d). PRINT OR TYPE LEGIBLY.

		Approximate Interval Between Onset and Death
IMMEDIATE CAUSE (Final disease or condition resulting in death) →	a. CARCINOMA OF COLON WITH LIVER METASTASES DUE TO (OR AS A CONSEQUENCE OF)	3 MONTHS
Sequentially list conditions, if any leading to immediate cause. Enter UNDERLYING CAUSE (disease or injury that initiated events resulting in death) LAST.	b. DUE TO (OR AS A CONSEQUENCE OF)	
	c. DUE TO (OR AS A CONSEQUENCE OF)	
	d.	

PART II - Other significant conditions contributing to death but not resulting in underlying cause given in Part I.

30	31 WAS AUTOPSY PERFORMED? (Yes or No)	32 WERE AUTOPSY FINDINGS AVAILABLE PRIOR TO COMPLETION OF CAUSE OF DEATH? (Yes or No)
	No	

33 WAS CASE REFERRED TO M.E.? (Yes or No)	34 MANNER OF DEATH ☒ NATURAL ☐ ACCIDENT ☐ HOMICIDE ☐ SUICIDE ☐ COULD NOT BE DETERMINED ☐ PENDING INVESTIGATION	35a DATE OF INJURY (Mo., Day, Yr.)	35b TIME OF INJURY M	35c INJURY AT WORK (Yes or No)
No				

35d DESCRIBE HOW INJURY OCCURRED	35e PLACE OF INJURY - At home, farm, street, factory, office bldg., etc. Specify:	35f LOCATION (No. & St., City/Town, State)

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36a To the best of my knowledge, death occurred at the time, date and place and due to the cause(s) stated. (Signature and Title) Allen D. Ward MD

36b DATE SIGNED (Mo., Day, Yr.)	36c HOUR OF DEATH	36d NAME OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN IF NOT CERTIFIER
JUNE 1, 1992	12:45 A M	

To be Completed by MEDICAL EXAMINER Only

37a On the basis of examination and/or investigation in my opinion death occurred at the time, date, and place and due to the cause(s) stated. (Signature and Title)

37b DATE SIGNED (Mo., Day, Yr.)	37c HOUR OF DEATH M
37d PRONOUNCED DEAD (Mo., Day, Yr.)	37e PRONOUNCED DEAD (Hr.) M

38 NAME AND ADDRESS OF CERTIFYING PHYSICIAN OR MEDICAL EXAMINER (Type or Print)	39 LICENSE NO. OF CERTIFIER
ALLEN D. WARD 281 LINCOLN ST. WORCESTER	32014

40a WAS THERE AN R.N. PRONOUNCEMENT? Yes or No	40b IF YES, DATE PRONOUNCED	40c IF YES, TIME PRONOUNCED	40d NAME OF PRONOUNCING REGISTERED NURSE
YES	JUNE 1, 1992	12:45 P M	NAME JUDY-MELANSON, RN

41 DATE BURIAL PERMIT ISSUED: JUNE 2, 1992 SIGNATURE - BD. OF HEALTH AGENT Commissioner of Public Health	42 RECEIVED IN THE CITY/TOWN OF: WORCESTER CLERK'S SIGNATURE Robert J. O'Kiely	43 DATE OF RECORD JUNE 2, 1992

City of Worcester No 38287

CITY CLERK DEPARTMENT

The above is a true copy of the original certificate placed on file in this office, and issued this date:

A Copy. *Attest:* JUN 03 1992

David J. Rushford
Assistant City Clerk

keen[1] (kēn), *adj.*, **-er, -est.** 1. finely sharpened, as an edge; so shaped as to cut or pierce substances readily: *a keen razor.* 2. sharp, piercing, or biting: *a keen wind; keen satire.* 3. characterized by strength and distinctness of perception; extremely sensitive or responsive: *keen eyes; keen ears.* 4. having or showing great mental penetration or acumen: *keen reasoning; a keen mind.* 5. animated by or showing strong feeling or desire: *keen competition.* 6. intense, as feeling or desire: *keen ambition; keen jealousy.* 7. eager; interested; enthusiastic (often fol. by *about, on,* etc., or an infinitive): *She is really keen on going swimming.* 8. *Slang.* great; wonderful; marvelous. [bef. 900; 1930–35 for def. 8; ME *kene,* OE *cēne;* c. G *kühn,* OHG *chuoni* bold, ON *kœnn* wise, skillful] —**keen′ly,** *adv.* —**keen′ness,** *n.*
—**Syn. 1, 4.** See **sharp. 2.** cutting, bitter, caustic. **3.** piercing, penetrating, acute. **4.** discerning, acute, astute, sagacious, shrewd, clever. **5.** See **avid. 7.** earnest, fervid. —**Ant. 1, 3, 4.** dull.

keen[2] (kēn), *n.* 1. a wailing lament for the dead. —*v.i.* 2. to wail in lamentation for the dead. —*v.t.* 3. to bewail or lament by or with keening. [1805–15; < Ir *caoine* (n.), *caoin-* (v., s. of *caoinim*) lament] —**keen′er,** *n.*

Keene (kēn), *n.* a city in SW New Hampshire. 21,449.

Keene's′ cement′ (kēnz), *Trademark.* a brand of hard, white finish plaster.

keen·ing (kē′ning), *n.* 1. the act of a person who keens. 2. a wailing lament for the dead; keen. [1875–80; KEEN[2] + -ING[1]]

FAMILY NAMES OF THE ISLAND OF NEWFOUNDLAND

by E.R. Seary pub. 1977

SMALL

SMALL, a surname of England and Ireland from old English *smal* - small, slender, thin; in Ireland also for BEGG and KIELTY (QUILTY). (Reaney, Cottle, MacLysaght).

Traced by Guppy in Nottinghamshire, Somerset, and Worcestershire, by Spiegelhalter in Devon, and by MacLysaght in County Galway and Ulster.

IN NEWFOUNDLAND:

Family traditions: REUBEN, of English descent, from Conception Bay, settled in Moreton's Harbour about 1810 (Municipal History) -- from Scotland, settled at Moreton's Harbour (Municipal folklore).

EARLY INSTANCES: William of St. John's, 1756 (DPHW 26C); John of Moreton's Harbour, 1845 (DPHW 86); Israel, of Fogo, 1855 (DPHW 86); Richard, of Tizzard's Harbour, 1860 (DPHW 88); Joseph, merchant of Lower Burgeo, 1871 (Lovell); JOSEPH, miner of Tilt Cove, 1871 (Lovell).

Modern status: Scattered, especially at Moreton's Harbour and Wild Cove (White Bay).

Place names: Many place names contain the element SMALL, but only SMALL'S ISLAND 47-37 57-36 appears to be from the surname.

HANNAH LILIAN SMALL

KNOWN AS NANCY LILLIAN SMALL BY HER CHILDREN

1. ERNEST HOWARD KEEN	b. December 15, 1903	2. CHESTER DURNING
b. October 3, 1904	p. Lewisporte, Newfoundland	b.
p. Everett, Massachusetts	d. September 8, 1992	p. New Hampshire (?)
d. January 28, 1979	Brookline, MA.	d.
	burial Gethsemane Cemetery	
	W. Roxbury, MA.	
	m. Ernest Keen, Woburn, MA	m. Boston, MA 1952
	November 21, 1926	No children

CHILDREN OF HANNAH LILIAN (NANCY) SMALL AND ERNEST HOWARD KEEN

GILDA NANCY KEEN	ERNEST HOWELL KEEN jr	BESSIE VIOLET KEEN	DONALD EDWARD KEEN
b. October 20, 1927	b. January 23, 1929	b. April 29, 1930	b. June 21, 1931
p. Stoneham, MA	p. Everett, MA	p. Everett, MA	p. Everett, MA
d.	d. February 14, 1978	d.	d.
	Philadelphia, PA		
m. Francis J. McCauley	m. Christina Falciani	m. 1. Harrell Brannon	m. Mary Brown
		2. Joseph Moscaritolo	

CAROL BERTRAM KEEN	PATRICIA ANN KEEN	ROBERT ROGER KEEN	JAMES WALTER KEEN
b. November 28, 1932	b. April 20, 1936	b. July 3, 1937	b. August 14, 1939
p. Malden, MA	p. Everett, MA	p. Everett, MA	p. Everett, MA
d.	d.	d.	d.
m. Phyllis Ballweg	m. 1. Edward Washburn	m. Beverly Ann Smith	m. Glenda Stultz
	2. James Stonerock	December 8, 1956	
		Santa Ana, CA	

PAUL GORDON KEEN	JANICE LRAE KEEN	MAUREEN JOYCE KEEN
b. June 9, 1941	b. January 11, 1945	b. December 5, 1946
p. Everett, MA	p. Boston, MA	p. Boston, MA
d.	d.	d.
m. Ingrid Breinling	m. Anthony Elacqua	m. 1. Joseph Gines
		2. Dennis Dunlea

FOR DETAILS OF THE CHILDREN OF HANNAH LILIAN SMALL AND ERNEST HOWARD KEEN REFER TO INDIVIDUAL GENEALOGY SHEETS.

JOSEPH SMALL / ROSEHANNAH PERENNAH PERRY

b. October 6, 1865
p. Wild Cove, Newfoundland
d. 1948 – buried Deer Lake Newfoundland

b. c. 1871
p. Exploits, Newfoundland
d. 1935 – buried Deer Lake Newfoundland

m. August 14, 1890
Wild Cove, Newfoundland

CHILDREN OF JOSEPH SMALL AND ROSEHANNAH PERRY

COUSSA CHRISTINA SMALL
b. October 1, 1890
p.
d. 1957 buried at Wild Cove, NFLD
m. Emmanuel Hines 18 ch.

WILLIAM MARK SMALL
b. September 18, 1892
p.
d. February 14, 1971 buried Lewisporte, Newfoundland
m. 1. Winifred 2 ch.
2. Julia May Cole 5 ch.

IRENE VIOLET SMALL
b. November 23, 1894
p.
d. February 10, 1982 buried Saint John, New Brunswick, Canada
m. Gordon Cummings 2 ch.

EDWARD TITUS SMALL
b. 1897
p.
d. December 1957 buried Moncton, NB
m. Georgina (?) 9 ch.

RHODA ANN SMALL
b. April 22, 1899
p.
d. June 1945 buried Detroit, Michigan
m. Roy Hillier 5 ch.

ALFREDA SMALL
b. August 8, 1901
p.
d. February 8, 1971 buried Detroit, Michigan
m. Uriah Chaulk 5 ch.

HANNAH LILIAN SMALL
b. December 15, 1903
p. Lewisporte, NFLD
d. September 8, 1992 Brookline, MA. burial Gethsemane Cemetery W. Roxbury, MA.
m. 1. Ernest Howard Keen 11 children
2. Chester Durning no ch.

SIDNEY FREEMAN SMALL
b. August 15, 1906
p.
d. 1959 - buried Detroit, MI
m. Bernice (?) no children

GARLAND CLAYTON SMALL
b. January 10, 1911
p.
d.
m. Mary Eliza Bert 7 children

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nee HANNAH LILIAN SMALL – b. December 15, 1903 – Lewisporte, Newfoundland

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

STANDARD CERTIFICATE OF DEATH
REGISTRY OF VITAL RECORDS AND STATISTICS

REGISTERED NUMBER | STATE USE ONLY

DECEDENT - NAME FIRST	MIDDLE	LAST	SEX	DATE OF DEATH (Mo., Day, Yr.)
1. Nancy	L.	Durning	2. F.	3. Sept. 8, 1992

PLACE OF DEATH (City/Town)	COUNTY OF DEATH	HOSPITAL OR OTHER INSTITUTION - Name (If not in either, give street and number)
4a. Brookline	4b. Norfolk	4c. Chamberlain Nursing Home

PLACE OF DEATH (Check only one): HOSPITAL: [ ] Inpatient [ ] ER/Outpatient [ ] DOA 5; OTHER: [X] Nursing Home [ ] Residence [ ] Other (Specify)

SOCIAL SECURITY NUMBER	IF US WAR VETERAN SPECIFY WAR
6. 014-20-4414	7. --

WAS DECEDENT OF HISPANIC ORIGIN? (If yes, Specify Puerto Rican, Dominican, Cuban, etc.)	RACE (e.g. White, Black, American Indian, etc.) (Specify)	DECEDENT'S EDUCATION (Highest Grade Completed) Elem/Sec (0-12) / College (1-4, 5+)
XX 0 = NO 1 = YES 8a. Specify	8b. White	9. 12

AGE - Last Birthday (Yrs.)	UNDER 1 YEAR MOS / DAYS	UNDER 1 DAY HOURS / MINS	DATE OF BIRTH (Mo., Day, Yr.)	BIRTHPLACE (City and State or Foreign Country)
10a. 87	10b. - / -	10c. - / -	10d. Dec. 5, 1904	11. Canada

MARRIED, NEVER MARRIED, WIDOWED OR DIVORCED	LAST SPOUSE (If wife, give maiden name)	USUAL OCCUPATION (Type - If retired)	KIND OF BUSINESS OR INDUSTRY
12. Widowed	13. Chester Durning	14a. Manager	14b. Rooming House

RESIDENCE - NO. & ST., CITY/TOWN, COUNTY, STATE/COUNTRY	ZIP CODE
15a. 123 Gardner Rd. Brookline, Norfolk, Mass.	15b. 02146

FATHER - FULL NAME	STATE OF BIRTH (If not in US, name country)	MOTHER - NAME (GIVEN) (MAIDEN)	STATE OF BIRTH (If not in US, name country)
16. Joseph Small	17. Canada	18. Rosehannah Perry	19. Canada

INFORMANT'S NAME	MAILING ADDRESS - NO. & ST., CITY/TOWN, STATE, ZIP CODE	RELATIONSHIP
20. Maureen Dunlea	21. 32 Weaver Rd. Weymouth, MA. 02189	22. Daughter

METHOD OF DISPOSITION	FUNERAL SERVICE LICENSEE	FUN. SERVICE LICENSEE #
XX BURIAL [ ] CREMATION [ ] DONATION [ ] ENTOMBMENT [ ] REMOVAL FROM STATE [ ] OTH. SPEC.	24. John G. O'Dea	25. 6383

PLACE OF DISPOSITION (Name of Cemetery, Crematory or other)	LOCATION (City/Town, State)
26a. Gethsemane Cemetery	26b. Boston, Mass.

DATE OF DISPOSITION (Mo., Day, Yr.)	NAME OF FACILITY	ADDRESS OF FACILITY
27. Sept. 11, 1992	Bell-O'Dea Funeral Home	28. 376 Washington St. Brookline, Mass. 02146

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		Approximate Interval Between Onset and Death
IMMEDIATE CAUSE (Final disease or condition resulting in death)	a. PULMONARY INFARCTION DUE TO OR AS A CONSEQUENCE OF:	MINUTES
Sequentially list conditions, if any, leading to immediate cause. Enter UNDERLYING CAUSE (disease or injury that initiated events resulting in death) LAST.	b. HYPERTENSION DUE TO OR AS A CONSEQUENCE OF:	4 YEARS
	c. DUE TO OR AS A CONSEQUENCE OF:	
	d.	

PART II - Other significant conditions contributing to death but not resulting in underlying cause given in Part I.

30. CHRONIC OBSTRUCTIVE PULMONARY DISEASE

WAS AUTOPSY PERFORMED? (Yes or No)	WERE AUTOPSY FINDINGS AVAILABLE PRIOR TO COMPLETION OF CAUSE OF DEATH? (Yes or No)
31. NO	32.

WAS CASE REFERRED TO ME/CE? (Yes or No)	34. MANNER OF DEATH (1=NATURAL, 2=ACCIDENT, 3=HOMICIDE, 4=SUICIDE, 5=PENDING INVESTIGATION, 6=COULD NOT BE DETERMINED)	DATE OF INJURY (Mo., Day, Yr.)	TIME OF INJURY	INJURY AT WORK (Yes or No)
33. NO		35a.	35b. M	35c.

DESCRIBE HOW INJURY OCCURRED	PLACE OF INJURY - At home, farm, street, factory, office bldg., etc. Specify.	LOCATION (No. & St., City/Town, State)
35d.	35e.	35f.

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DATE SIGNED (Mo., Day, Yr.)	HOUR OF DEATH
36b. SEPTEMBER 8, 1992	36c. 6 20 AM

36d. NAME OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN IF NOT CERTIFIER: KEAL PURVITZ

To be Completed by MEDICAL EXAMINER Only

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PRONOUNCED DEAD (Mo., Day, Yr.)	PRONOUNCED DEAD (Hr.)
37d.	37e. M

NAME AND ADDRESS OF CERTIFYING PHYSICIAN OR MEDICAL EXAMINER (Type or Print): 38. VINCENT E. PAQUETTE ONE ADDITH ST BROOKLINE MA 02131

LICENSE NO. OF CERTIFIER: 39. 48797

WAS THERE AN R.N. PRONOUNCEMENT? (Yes or No)	IF YES, DATE PRONOUNCED	IF YES, TIME PRONOUNCED	40e. NAME OF PRONOUNCING REGISTERED NURSE
40a. NO	40b.	40c. M	NAME

DATE BURIAL PERMIT ISSUED	RECEIVED IN THE CITY/TOWN OF:	DATE OF RECORD
SIGNATURE - BD. OF HEALTH AGENT 41.	CLERK'S SIGNATURE 42.	43.

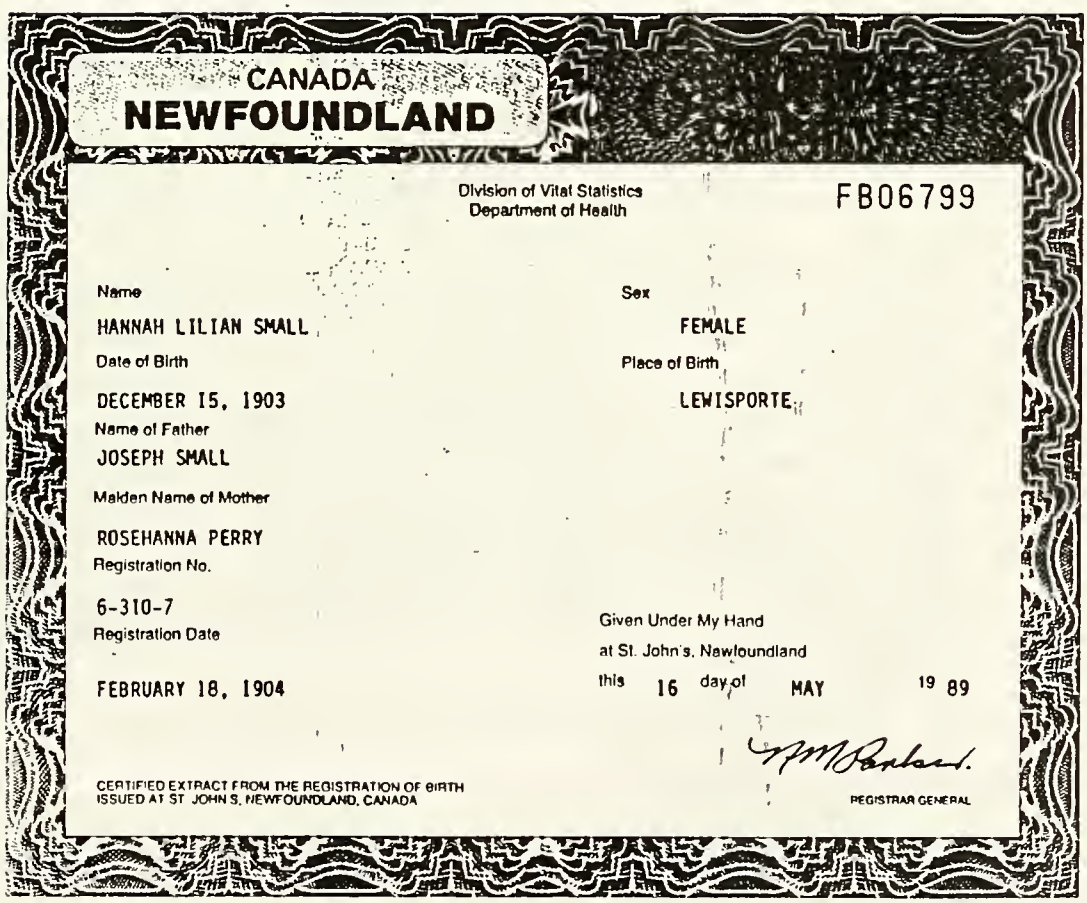
Memorial Obituary

DAYTON DAILY NEWS
SEPTEMBER 10, 1992
THURSDAY

KEEN/DURNING, Nancy, 88, a former resident of Dayton, Ohio, died on September 8, 1992 in Brookline, Massachusetts. She was born Hannah Lillan Small in Lewisporte, Newfoundland. She was preceded in death by a son, Ernest Keen; Jr. of Philadelphia, PA. and the father of her children, Ernest Keen, Sr. She is survived by sons, Donald and James Keen of Las Vegas, NV, Bert, Robert, Paul Keen of Dayton, OH; daughters, Gilda McCauley, Betty Moscaritolo, Maureen Dunlea of Boston, MA, Patricia Stonerock of Dayton, OH, Janice Elacqua of Marietta, GA. and by her brother, Garland Small of Deer Lake, NFLD, Canada. Also survived by 37 grandchildren and 50 great grandchildren. No flowers please. Donations to Alzheimer's Foundation would be appreciated. Burial arrangements by Bell-O'Dea Funeral Home, Brookline, MA. Burial in West Roxbury, MA

THE BOSTON GLOBE
THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 10, 1992

DURNING – In Brookline, Sept. 8, 1992, Nancy L. (Keen) (Small). Beloved wife of the late Chester Durning. Mother of Gilda N. McCauley of Peabody, Bessie V. Moscaritolo of Brookline, Donald E. Keen and James W. Keen of Las Vegas, NV, C. Bertram Keen, Patricia A. Stonerock, Robert R. Keen, and Paul G. Keen, all of Dayton, OH, Janice Elacqua of Georgia, Maureen J. Dunlea of Weymouth and the late Ernest H. Keen, jr of PA. Sister of Garland Small of Canada. Also survived by many grandchildren and great-grandchildren. Funeral Services will be held on Friday morning at 11:00 in the Bell O'Dea Funeral Home, 376 Washington St., BROOKLINE. Relatives and friends are kindly invited. Visiting hours Wed. 7-9 and Thurs. 2-4, 7-9. Interment Gethsemane Cemetery.



CANADA
NEWFOUNDLAND

Division of Vital Statistics
Department of Health

FB06799

Name
HANNAH LILIAN SMALL

Sex
FEMALE

Date of Birth
DECEMBER 15, 1903

Place of Birth
LEWISPORTE

Name of Father
JOSEPH SMALL

Maiden Name of Mother
ROSEHANNA PERRY

Registration No.
6-310-7

Registration Date
FEBRUARY 18, 1904

Given Under My Hand
at St. John's, Newfoundland
this 16 day of MAY 19 89

REGISTRAR GENERAL

CERTIFIED EXTRACT FROM THE REGISTRATION OF BIRTH
ISSUED AT ST. JOHN'S, NEWFOUNDLAND, CANADA

nee HANNAH LILIAN SMALL – b. December 15, 1903 – Lewisporte, Newfoundland

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RACE (e.g. White, Black, American Indian, etc.) (Specify) 8b White

DECEDENT'S EDUCATION (Highest Grade Completed): Elem/Sec (0-12) 9 12 | College (1-4, 5+)

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METHOD OF DISPOSITION: [X] BURIAL [ ] CREMATION [ ] DONATION [ ] OTH. SPEC. 23 | [ ] ENTOMBMENT [ ] REMOVAL FROM STATE

FUNERAL SERVICE LICENSEE	FUN. SERVICE LICENSEE #
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	c DUE TO (OR AS A CONSEQUENCE OF)	
	d	

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NO	

33 WAS CASE REFERRED TO MED. EXAM? (Yes or No)	34 MANNER OF DEATH	DATE OF INJURY (Mo., Day, Yr.)	TIME OF INJURY	INJURY AT WORK (Yes or No)
NO	1 NATURAL 2 ACCIDENT 3 HOMICIDE 4 SUICIDE 5 PENDING INVESTIGATION 6 COULD NOT BE DETERMINED	35a	35b M	35c

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SEPTEMBER 5, 1992	6 20 A M

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NO			NAME

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SOME OF THE FAMILY OF SMALL

HANNAH LILIAN (NANCY) SMALL

ca. 1954

GARLAND and MARY SMALL
(Nancy's brother)
Deer Lake, Newfoundland ca. 1986

MARK and JULIA SMALL
(Nancy's brother) Newfoundland ca. 1958

VIOLET SMALL CUMMINGS
ca. 1962
The resemblance to Hannah – Nancy (her sister) is remarkable

ERNEST HOWARD KEEN

c. 1938

m. NOVEMBER 21, 1926

HANNAH LILIAN (NANCY) SMALL

c. 1953

SMALL FAMILY GENEALOGY PARENTS REUBEN SMALL AND ?

JOSEPH SMALL / SARAH RUSSELL

b. c. 1826	b.
p. Wild Cove, NFLD	p.
d. June 8, 1876	d.
buried Wild Cove	

m. c. 1853 Wild Cove, NFLD

CHILDREN OF JOSEPH SMALL AND SARAH RUSSELL

JOHN SMALL	REUBEN SMALL	MARK SMALL
b. c. 1855	b. August 15, 1856	b. c. 1859
p. Wild Cove, NFLD	p. Wild Cove, NFLD	p. Wild Cove, NFLD
d. 1906 buried Wild Cove	d. buried Wild Cove	d.
m. Ann (?)	m. Ann (?)	m.

ARCHIBALD SMALL	JOSEPH SMALL	SILAS SMALL
b. August 21, 1862	b. October 6, 1865	b. September 1869
p. Wild Cove, NFLD	p. Wild Cove, NFLD	p. Wild Cove, NFLD
d.	d. 1948 buried Deer Lake, NFLD	d.
m.	m. Rosehannah Perry	m.

ELIZABETH SMALL	MARYJANE SMALL
b. October 1871	b. May 1875
p. Wild Cove, NFLD	p. Wild Cove, NFLD
d. 1933	d, died younf
m. Peter Perry October 12, 1890	

REUBEN SMALL / WIFE UNKNOWN

b.	b.
p.	p.
d.	d.
	m.

CHILDREN OF REUBEN SMALL AND _____

JOSEPH SMALL	JOHN SMALL	EPHRAIM SMALL
b. 1826	b.	b. 1828
p. Wild Cove, NFLD	p. Wild Cove, NFLD	p. Wild Cove, NFLD
d. June 8, 1876	d.	d. 1912
buried Wild Cove		Morton's Harbor
m. Sarah Russell	m.	m. Julia Ann Butt
		November 10, 1857

Reuben Small, of our mother's lineage, arrived in Tilt Cove, Newfoundland, c. 1810 possibly from Cornwall or Somerset area of England. He relocated in Wild Cove where his family was born and raised. Later information speculates that he may have come from Scotland. No further information as of this date.

Robert R. Keen Dayton, Ohio March 1992

FAMILY NAMES OF THE ISLAND OF NEWFOUNDLAND

by E.R. Seary published 1977

SMALL, a surname of England and Ireland from old English *smal* - small, slender, thin; In Ireland also for BEGG and KIELTY (QUILTY). (Reaney, Cottle, MacLysaght)

Traced by Guppy in Nottinghamshire, Somerset, and Worcestershire, by Spieghalter in Devon , and by MacLysaght in County Galway and Ulster.

IN NEWFOUNDLAND:

Family traditions: REUBEN, of English descent, from Conception Bay, settled in Moreton's Harbour about 1810 (Municipal History) -- from Scotland, settled at Moreton's Harbour (Municipal Folklore).

EARLY INSTANCES: William of St. John's, 1756 (DPHW 26C); John of Moreton's Harbour, 1845 (DPHW 86); Israel, of Fogo, 1855 (DPHW 86); Richard, of Tizzard's Harbour, 1860 (DPHW 88); Joseph, merchant of Lower Burgeo, 1871 (Lovell); JOSEPH, miner of Tilt Cove, 1871 (Lovell).

MODERN STATUS: Scattered, especially at Moreton's Harbour and Wild Cove (White Bay).

PLACE NAMES: Many place names contain the element SMALL, but only SMALL'S ISLAND 47-37 57-36 appears to be from the surname.

KNOWN GRANDCHILDREN OF JOSEPH AND ROSEHANNAH SMALL

Father and mother of Hannah Lilian Small

COUSSA CHRISTINE SMALL
b. October 1, 1890
children

Margaret	Jordan
Ciscila	Dulcie
Ellie	Maud
Eliza	William
Jack	Emily

All were born in Burnt Bay, NFLD. Coussa had a total of 18 children, only above found in records.

WILLIAM MARK SMALL
b. September 18, 1892
children

Lillian Cedella Aucoin b. 09/07/1919 d. 07/03/1994
Louise Vivian McNeil b. 04/22/1922
Violet Blanche Cusack b. 07/27/1926
Oliver Wilford Ted Small b. 03/29/1932
Margaret Cavell Suley b. 08/19/1933
(All born in Lewisporte, Newfoundland)

William Mark Small fathered two more children with first wife, Winifred (d. 06/06/1917)
Molly (died young)
Viola (Bert Fry)

GARLAND CLAYTON SMALL
b. 09/10/1911
children m. Mary d.06/14/1994
Neta Maxton Tavenor
Edward Garland Small
Rhoda Joan Curtis
Harold Roy Small
Myrna Louise Carey
Georgie Marian Daisy
Ronald Willis Small
Donald Itzel Small
(All born Deer Lake, NFLD)

EDWARD TITUS SMALL
b. 1897
children
Joseph Small (Lachine, Quebec)
Marie Smith
Maida
Beatrice
Jimmy
Ronald (deceased)
Vaughan Small (Montreal, Quebec)

IRENE VIOLET SMALL
b. November 23, 1894
children
Myrna Nancy Rosalie Hanlon
Gerald Gordon Cummings
b. 12/29/1926 d. 03/09/81

RHODA ANN SMALL
b. April 22, 1899
children
Roy Frank Hillier
Viola Lillian Hillier
Vilma Lucille Hiller
James Joseph Hillier
Donald Malcolm Hillier

HANNAH LILIAN SMALL (NANCY LILLIAN KEEN / DURNING)
b. December 15, 1903 Lewisporte, Newfoundland
children - listed under her name and Ernest Howard Keen - all born in Massachusetts.

If a married name was known, it is listed above.

SMALL FAMILY OF NEWFOUNDLAND, CANADA

The following information on the Small family was gleaned from the Archives in St. John's, Newfoundland when I was there in 1989. I was assisted by Rosalind Hutchings, the granddaughter of (William) Mark Small, who is the brother of our mother, Hannah Lilian Small (Keen / Durning).

JOSEPH SMALL of Wild Cove married Penniah Perry from Exploits on 14 August 1890. Neither could read or write.

Peter Perry of Wild Cove married ELIZABETH SMALL of Wild Cove 12 October 1890. Their witnesses were WILLIAM H. SMALL and SARAH SMALL.

Noah Reglar of Little Lobster Harbor married LILLICEAS SMALL of Wild Cove 7 August 1902. They were both 18 years old.

ARCHIBALD SMALL of Wild Cove married Isabella Pardy of Wild Cove 28 May 1902. Their witnesses were GEROGE SMALL and LILLIAS SMALL.

DEATH --- JAMES SMALL, son of REUBEN AND ANN, died (6) in Wild Cove 10/6/1894

SMALL FAMILY BIRTHS

JOHN born to REUBEN and ANN -- Wild Cove -- May 15, 1884
WILLIAM JOSEPH born to REUBEN and ANN -- Wild Cove -- October 11, 1882
LILIAS born to JOHN and ANN -- Wild Cove -- April 15, 1884
ANDREW MARK born JOHN and ANN -- Wild Cove -- June 3, 1886
CLARA PHOEBE born to REUBEN and ANN -- Wild Cove -- January 23, 1886
JAMES born to REUBEN and ANN -- Wild Cove -- May 23, 1888
SARAH born to JOHN and ANN -- Wild Cove -- May 21, 1889
JANET born to REUBEN and ANN -- Wild Cove -- November 24, 1889
CAUSSON born to JOSEPH and PENNIAH -- Wild Cove -- October 1, 1890
WILLIAM MARK born to JOSEPH and PERNNIAH -- Wild Cove -- September 18, 1892
DORCAS born to REUBEN and ANN -- Wild Cove -- February 2, 1894
IRENE VIOLET born to JOSEPH and PERNNAH -- November 23, 1894
ELIAZER born to ARCHIBALD and ISADORA -- Wild Cove -- March 15, 1902
ABEL GEORGE born to ARCHIBALD and ISADORA -- Wild Cove -- September 3, 1904

Note the different spellings of the same name Pernniah, etc. It was either due to illiteracy or whoever recorded the information didn't know how to spell, either. Middle names did not come into vogue until the middle 1800's. However, many children who had two names given to them at birth, were often called by the middle name. Many births, deaths and marriages were usually recorded by the local clergyman and they spelled names phonetically many times, which of course, resulted in different spellings of the same name.

KEEN GENEALOGY G12 PARENTS ERNEST HOWARD KEEN AND NANCY LILLIAN SMALL (Hannah)

ERNEST HOWELL KEEN jr / CHRISTINA FALCIANI

b. January 23, 1929
p. Everett, MA
d. February 14, 1978
Philadelphia, PA
Burial Phila., PA

b. November 10, 1928
p. Philadelphia, PA
d.

m.

CHILDREN OF ERNEST H. KEEN jr AND CHRISTINA FALCIANI

ERNEST KENNETH KEEN (1)
b. November 9, 1950
p. Philadelphia, PA
d. August 27, 1958
Burial Phila., PA
Died from a head injury
in a street accident

NANCY CHRISTINA KEEN
b. January 5, 1953
p. Philadelphia, PA
d.

m. Michael A. Branca
b. August 18, 1952
p. Philadelphia, PA

ERNEST KENNETH KEEN (2)
b. October 6, 1959
p. Philadelphia, PA
d.

m. Denise Ann D'Amore
b. August 14, 1956
p. Philadelphia, PA

Ernest Howell Keen, jr was born in Everett, Massachusetts, the second child of Ernest and Nancy Keen. He joined the U.S. Navy and served honorably. Married Christina Falciani of Philadelphia, Pennsylvania and settled there. He became a mechanic and eventually bought and managed an Amoco station in Philadelphia. He was tragically killed while being victimized by two thieves in a stolen car on February 14, 1978. The two killers were caught and convicted and sentenced.

GRANDCHILDREN OF ERNEST HOWELL KEEN jr AND CHRISTINA FALCIANI

PARENTS: NANCY CHRISTINA KEEN AND MICHAEL ANGELO BRANCA

NICOLE DENISE BRANCA
b. October 30, 1975
p. Philadelphia, PA

TARA MICHELLE BRANCA
b. September 24, 1978
p. Philadelphia, PA

ASHLEY BRANCA
b. April 24, 1987
p. Philadelphia, PA

Living in Philadelphia (1992)

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ERNEST AGE 49

Ernie Keen can rest in peace

By RICK MURRAY

Ernie Keen can rest in peace.

The dream he had for his son has become reality. And, police have arrested two men and [illegible] his murder.

The American Oil Co. has agreed to allow Keen's widow, Christine, to renew the lease on her husband's Amoco gas station, Broad and Pollock Sts.

Keen had always wanted his son, Ernie Jr., 18, a senior at South Philadelphia High School, to eventually take over the station.

But after his death Feb. 11, rumors spread that the oil company would not renew the family's lease.

Keen was killed when he grabbed onto the side of a car containing two men who had ordered five dollars worth of gas and sped out of the gas station without paying. He was crushed when the car rammed into a bridge abutment.

Arrested yesterday and charged with Keen's death are David Ballod, 20, and his brother, Paul, 26, whom police say have no home address.

The two are being held without bail on charges of murder, theft, auto theft, and conspiracy.

Contacted at her home yesterday, Mrs. Keen had his response about the latest news in her husband's case:

"I just wonder why my husband — a good man — should die and these two (suspects) should be allowed to live."

The Ballod brothers are known as a pair of "okay guys" in their old neighborhood along the 2300 block of S. Woodstock Street.

Neighbors could not believe the two have been charged in the auto death of South Philly gas station operator Ernie Keen, 45.

"The boys never did any harm around here," remarked one neighbor who refused to give her name.

The brothers were arrested separately yesterday: David, at St. Agnes Hospital about 5 p.m., and Paul, at a house on the 500 block of Fernon Street at 11:45 p.m.

Another neighbor, Russell LaRosa, 62, was more to the point.

"I hope they hang.

DAVID BALLOD

PAUL BALLOD

PHILADELPHIA JOURNAL/SATURDAY, MARCH 4, 1978

Workmen who boarded up Ernie Keen's gas station after his death may soon be taking the boards down. Company has agreed to re-lease the station at Broad and Pollock Sts. to Keen's widow.

2 THE REVIEW (EAST) THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 16, 1978

Violent Week In S. Phila: One Dead, Four Are Stabbed

Murder and violence stalked South Philadelphia's streets in automobiles this week as a family of 4 were stabbed by a disgruntled motorist, and a neighborhood gas station operator was crushed to death trying to prevent a driver from skipping out without paying for his gas.

On Tuesday morning, Ernest Keen, 45, the owner of Ernie and Sons Amoco Station at Broad and Pollock sts., was pinned against the wall of the Walt Whitman Bridge approach over Broad st. after he grabbed hold of a 1969 Ford Station wagon that pulled out without paying for gas he had just pumped into its tank.

ACCORDING TO witnesses, Keen pulled a ski mask off of the face of one of the 2 passengers before he was killed. The mask was found by police at the station during their investigation.

The car was found abandoned on 20th st. near Packer ave. According to police, it had been stolen Monday near 10th and Bainbridge sts. There are no suspects yet, but the police said they are looking for 2 black men.

—Tony Germanotta

GILDA AGE 60

GILDA NANCY KEEN / FRANCIS JOSEPH McCAULEY

b. October 20, 1927
p. Stoneham, MA
d.

b. March 14, 1919
p. Boston, MA
d. May 20, 1980
buried Roxbury, MA
U.S. Army WW II
NOV. 3, 1941 -AUG. 23, 1945

CHILDREN OF GILDA NANCY KEEN AND FRANCIS JOSEPH McCAULEY

SANDRA LEE McCAULEY
b. August 30, 1946
p. Boston, MA
d.

m. Lawrence S. Toppi
b. August 27, 1947
p. Cambridge, MA

DENNIS FRANCIS McCAULEY
b. June 12, 1950
p. Boston, MA
d.

m. Maria Leontina Domingue
b. July 20, 1956
p. San Francisco, CA

SUSAN MARGARET McCAULEY
b. January 9, 1952
p. Boston, MA
d. September 15, 1992
burial Gethsemane Cemetery
W. Roxbury, MA (Picariello)

m. Paul Francis Picariello
b. April 18, 1939
p. Boston, MA

NANCY ANN McCAULEY
b. December 17, 1953
p. Boston, MA
d.

m. Paul Joseph Cook
b. May 21, 1953
p. Boston, MA

KATHY FRANCES McCAULEY
b. September 2, 1960
p. Boston, MA
d.

m.

JEANNE MARIE McCAULEY
b. February 22, 1963
p. Boston, MA
d.

ch. 1. James Richard Antonelli
b. July 1, 1953

GRANDCHILDREN OF GILDA NANCY KEEN AND FRANCIS JOSEPH McCAULEY ON REVERSE SIDE

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GRANDCHILDREN OF GILDA NANCY KEEN AND FRANCIC JOSEPH McCAULEY

PARENTS: SANDRA LEE McCAULEY AND LAWRENCE S. TOPPI

KARL EDWARD TOPPI
b. July 16, 1966
p. Boston, MA

LAWRENCE STEPHEN TOPPI
b. November 17, 1974
p. Somerville, MA

PARENTS: DENNIS FRANCIS McCAULEY AND MARIA LEONTINA DOMINGUE

JUSTIN MICHAEL McCAULEY
b. March 25, 1981
p. San Mateo, CA

JESSIE FRANCIS McCAULEY
b. January 7, 1984
p. San Mateo, CA

NICHOLAS JOSEPH McCAULEY
b. October 5, 1986
p. San Mateo, CA

PARENTS: SUSAN MARGARET McCAULEY AND PAUL FRANCIS PICARIELLO

CRAIG STEPHEN PICARIELLO
b. April 15, 1969
p. Somerville, MA

MICHAEL FRANCIS PICARIELLO
b. January 17, 1973
p. Boston, MA

PARENTS: NANCY ANN McCAULEY AND PAUL JOSEPH COOK

JACQUELINE ANN COOK
b. May 25, 1981
p. Boston, MA

LINDSAY MARIE COOK
b. October 5, 1983
p. Boston, MA

LAUREN McKENZIE COOK
b. April 19, 1988
p. Boston, MA

PARENTS: JEANNE MARIE McCAULEY AND JAMES RICHARD ANTONELLI

JUSTINE LEE ANTONELLI
b. May 5, 1987
p. Brockton, MA

PARENT: KATHY FRANCES McCAULEY

FRANCIS JOSEPH McCAULEY II
b. July 18, 1991
p. Boston, MA

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KEEN GENEALOGY G12 PARENTS ERNEST HOWARD KEEN AND NANCY LILLIAN SMALL (Hannah)

BESSIE VIOLET KEEN

HARRELL MILTON BRANNON
b. December 6, 1928
p. Live Oak, FL
d.

b. April 29, 1930
p. Everett, MA
d.

JOSEPH PAUL MOSCARITOLO
b. May 19, 1911
p. Framingham, MA
d. November 22, 1972
Boston, MA

m.

m.

CHILDREN OF BESSIE VIOLET KEEN AND HAROLD BRANNON

BRENDA JUNE BRANNON
b. April 21, 1948
p. Chelsea, MA
d.
m. Victor Anthony Cardarelli III
b. April 22, 1947

BETTY ANN BRANNON
b. July 23, 1950
p. Chelsea, MA
d.
m. Norman Roland Petrin
b. December 29, 1945

CHILDREN OF BESSIE VIOLET KEEN AND JOSPH MOSCARITOLO

PAUL JAMES MOSCARITOLO
b. January 9, 1954
p. Boston, MA
d.

JOSEPH PAUL MOSCARITOLO
b. August 12, 1956
p. Boston, MA
d.
m. 1. September McCarthy
b. September 27, 1957
p. Shaker Heights, OH

m. 2. Eileen McKenna
b. April 19, 1963
p. Boston, MA

RICHARD ANDREW MOSCARITOLO
b. October 27, 1960
p. Boston, MA
d.

m. Laura Janiatis
b. June 3, 1958
p. Shrewsbury, MA

DEBRA JEAN MOSCARITOLO
b. September 7, 1962
p. Boston, MA
d.

m. David Kenyon McCann
b. November 20, 1960
p. Brookline, MA

Bessie Violet Keen was known as Betty by her siblings all her life. Her birth certificate was registered incorrectly as April 30, 1929 instead of April 29, 1930.

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GRANDCHILDREN OF BESSIE VIOLET KEEN ON REVERSE SIDE

BETTY (BESSIE) AGE 60

GRANDCHILDREN OF BESSIE VIOLET KEEN AND HAROLD MILTON BRANNON

PARENTS: BRENDA JUNE BRANNON AND VICTOR ANTHONY CARDARELLI

TERESA MARIE CARDARELLI
b. January 2, 1976
p. Boston, MA

MICHAEL JAMES CARDARELLI
b. September 22, 1978
p. Quincy, MA

ROBERT ANTHONY CARDARELLI
b. September 23, 1979
p. Boston, MA

PARENTS: BETTY ANN BRANNON AND NORMAN ROLAND PETRIN

GREGORY M. PETRIN
b. June 29, 1975
p. Boston, MA

KENNETH R. PETRIN
b. March 24, 1977
p. Boston, MA

GRANDCHILDREN OF BESSIE VIOLET KEEN AND JOSEPH PAUL MOSCARITOLO

PARENTS: RICHARD ANDREW MOSCARITOLO AND LAURA JANIATIS

SARA LUCIA MOSCARITOLO
b. March 16, 1983
p. Cambridge, MA

PARENTS: JOSEPH PAUL MOSCARITOLO AND 1. SEPTEMBER McCARTHY
2. EILEEN McKENNA

NICHOLAS JOSEPH MOSCARITOLO (1)
b. August 30, 1983
p. Boston, MA

SHANNON ELIZABETH MOSCARITOLO (2)
b. February 28, 1992
p. Newton, MA

QUENTIN JAMES MOSCARITOLO (2)
b. June 27, 1994
p. Newton, MA

PARENTS: DEBRA JEAN MOSCARITOLO AND DAVID KENYON McCANN

DANIEL JOSEPH McCANN
b. June 8, 1981
p. Boston, MA

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KEEN GENEALOGY G12 PARENTS ERNEST HOWARD KEEN AND NANCY LILLIAN SMALL (Hannah)

DONALD EDWARD KEEN / MARY LOUISE BROWN

b. June 20, 1931
p. Everett, MA
d.

b. September 6, 1933
p. Juneau, Alaska
d.

m.

CHILDREN OF DONALD EDWARD KEEN AND MARY LOUISE BROWN

KAREN ANN KEEN
b. July 27, 1954
p. Seattle, WA
d.

m. 1. Steven E. Garnick
b. July 8, 1949
p. Laramie, WY
2. Ole Taug
b. June 8, 1952
p. Juneau, AK

KATHERINE MARIE KEEN
b. June 4, 1955
p. Sitka, Alaska
d.

m. Steven Brent Carter
b. June 16, 1954
p. Washington, D.C.

DONALD EDWARD KEEN jr
b. February 3, 1957
p. Juneau, Alaska
d.

m. Shiela Joyce Vialpando
b. December 25, 1960
p. Denver, CO

NANCY DIANE KEEN
b. March 9, 1958
p. Juneau, Alaska
d.

m. Michael O'Melia McCowan
b. March 12, 1952
p. Fort Knox, KY

JANICE LEE KEEN
b. July 15, 1959
p. Colorado Springs, CO.
d.

m. 1. Larry Dan Hotch sr
b. April 16, 1952
p. Juneau, AK
2. Edward Lee Hotch
b. February 22, 1956
p. Juneau, AK

SUSAN JEAN KEEN
b. November 29, 1961
p. Seattle, WA
d.

m. Brian Joseph Hughes
b. December 10, 1961
p. Queens, NY

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DONALD AGE 60

GRANDCHILDREN OF DONALD EDWARD KEEN AND MARY LOUISE BROWN

PARENTS: KAREN ANN KEEN AND STEVEN E. GARNICK

PTARMICA MARY GARNICK	JOSHUA WHITE RABBIT GARNICK
b. November 17, 1973	b. March 12, 1976
p. Dyea, AK	p. Berner's Bay, AK

PARENTS: KAREN ANN KEEN AND OLE TAUG

JONAH JAMES TAUG	KENNETH RICHARD TAUG	MARIA RENEE TAUG
b. April 2, 1981	b. July 31, 1984	b. December 9, 1985
p. Juneau, AK	p. Juneau, AK	p. Juneau, AK

PARENTS: KATHERINE MARIE KEEN AND STEVEN BRENT CARTER

GORDON KEEN CARTER	BRENT KEEN CARTER	AUSTIN KEEN CARTER
b. May 16, 1985	b. June 27, 1991	b. May 16, 1994
p. Fairfax, VA	p. Fairfax, VA	p. Fairfax, VA

PARENTS: DONALD EDWARD KEEN jr AND SHEILA JOYCE VIALPANDO

VINCENT LUIS KEEN	ANGELA YVONNE KEEN	DARIN DOMINIC KEEN
b. April 3, 1984	b. July 11, 1986	b. August 27, 1990
p. Las Vegas, NV	p. Las Vegas, NV	p. Las Vegas, NV

PARENTS: NANCY DIANE KEEN AND MICHAEL O'MELIA McCOWAN

	CHILD OF NANCY DIANE KEEN
NATHAN RED McCOWAN	SAMANTHA MARY KEEN
b. June 1, 1977	b. November 25, 1990
p. Fairbanks, AK	p. Las Vegas, NV

PARENTS: JANICE LEE KEEN AND LARRY HOTCH sr - CHILD OF JANICE KEEN AND EDWARD HOTCH

LARRY DAN HOTCH jr	LEVI RICHARD HOTCH	JACOB KANE HOTCH
b. February 5, 1980	b. September 4, 1981	b. July 24, 1991
p. Haines, AK	p. Haines, AK	p. Juneau, AK

PARENTS: SUSAN JEAN KEEN AND BRIAN JOSEPH HUGHES

BRIAN JOSEPH HUGHES jr	MICHELLE NICOLE HUGHES
b. February 6, 1985	b. May 14, 1986
p. Anchorage, AK	p. Goldsboro, NC

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KEEN GENEALOGY G12 PARENTS ERNEST HOWARD KEEN AND NANCY LILLIAN SMALL (Hannah)

CAROL BERTRAM KEEN / PHYLLIS JEAN BALLWEG

b. November 28, 1932	b. December 14, 1934
p. Malden, MA	p. Dayton, OH
d.	d.

m. Dayton, OH February 27, 1954

CHILDREN OF CAROL BERTRAM KEEN AND PHYLLIS JEAN BALLWEG

KENNETH MICHAEL KEEN
b. December 16, 1955
p. Dayton, OH
d. December 6, 1980
Dayton, OH
Killed in traffic accident

KATHY ANN KEEN
b. April 27, 1958
p. Dayton, OH
d

m. Robert Dwayne Banks
b August 14, 1962
p. Dayton, OH

DALE WILLIAM KEEN
b. September 2, 1959
p. Dayton, OH
d.

m. Judith Lynn Faller
b. February 10, 1960
p. Buffalo, NY

CAROL JEAN KEEN
b. December 31, 1967
p. Dayton, OH
d.

m.

GRANDCHILDREN OF CAROL BERTRAM KEEN AND PHYLLIS JEAN BALLWEG

PARENTS KATHY ANN KEEN AND ROBERT DWAYNE BANKS

AMBER NICOLE BANKS
b. June 22, 1982
p. Dayton, OH

CODY ALLEN BANKS
b. March 8, 1990
p. Dayton, OH

PARENTS: DALE WILLIAM KEEN AND JUDITH LYNN FALLER

BRANDON MICHAEL KEEN
b. May 15, 1985
p. Dayton, OH

KELSIE LYNN KEEN
b. January 8, 1990
p. Dayton, OH

Known as "Kenny" by his family. Name came from attending doctor. Later known as "Bert" by family. Served in US Army #US5226972.3 from March 1953 – March 1955. Was a letter carrier for US Postal Service and retired on pension after 37 years of service in Dayton, OH.

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BERT KEEN AGE 60

PATRICIA ANN KEEN / EDWARD HAROLD WASHBURN

b. April 20, 1936	b. December 22, 1923
p. Everett, MA	p. Pittsburgh, PA
d.	d.
	m.

CHILDREN OF PATRICIA ANN KEEN AND EDWARD HAROLD WASHBURN

BRIAN EDWARD WASHBURN
b. June 17, 1960
p. Dayton, OH
d. March 8, 1988
Buried Royal Oak Mem. Cem. Brookville, OH
Killed as the result of a traffic accident

BART ERIC WASHBURN
b. December 19, 1963
p. Dayton, OH
d.

MONICA TALA WASHBURN
b. June 12, 1966
p. Dayton, OH
d.

m. James Edward Stefanoff
b. January 28, 1965
p. Dayton, OH

GRANDCHILDREN OF PATRICIA ANN KEEN AND EDWARD HAROLD WASHBURN

PARENTS: MONICA TALA WASHBURN AND JAMES EDWARD STEFANOFF

ADAM GLEN STEFANOFF
b. January 13, 1990
p. Dayton, OH

HANNAH PATRICIA STEFANOFF
b. May 25, 1993
p. Dayton, OH

Patricia and Edward divorced and she later married James Stonerock. She had no more children

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PATRICIA AGE 57

1776 1890

THE NATIONAL SOCIETY OF THE

Daughters of the American Revolution

This certifies that

Patricia Ann Keen Stonerock

is a regularly approved member of the National Society of the Daughters of the American Revolution, having been admitted by the National Board of Management by virtue of her descent from a patriot who with unfailing loyalty served as a sailor, soldier, civil officer, or rendered material aid to the cause of American Independence during the Revolutionary War.

Given under our hands and the seal of the National Society

this eighteenth day of April 19 94

National No. 0758288

Admitted April 18, 1994

Ancestor Joshua Keen Sr

Massachusetts

Wayne G. Blair
President General

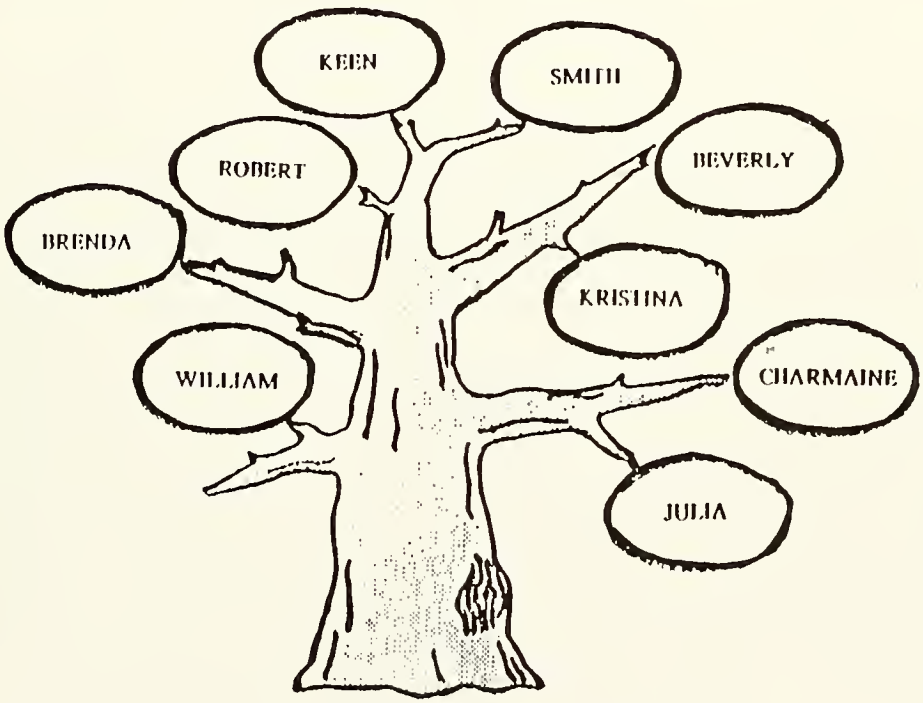
Rosalie Stanton Clary
Recording Secretary General

Nancy Horst Lindsey
Registrar General

KEEN

SMITH

A GENEALOGY TRACE OF THE
ROBERT ROGER KEEN AND BEVERLY ANN SMITH MARRIAGE



ROBERT ROGER KEEN / BEVERLY ANN SMITH

b. July 3, 1937
p. Everett, MA (VR)
d.

b. June 9, 1933
p. Orange, California (VR)
d.

m. Robert Keen on December 8, 1956 Santa Ana, CA (VR)

f. Walter Samuel Smith
m. Ruby Margaret Dierberger

CHILDREN OF ROBERT ROGER KEEN AND BEVERLY ANN SMITH

BRENDA JOYCE KEEN
b. June 28, 1957
p. Santa Ana, CA (VR)
d.

m. 1. Stephen Nightingale
2. Michael Alan Collins

KRISTINA LOUISE KEEN
b. June 14, 1958
p. Santa Ana, CA (VR)
d.

m. 1. David Earnest Mann
2. James George

WILLIAM ROBERT KEEN
b. May 6, 1960
p. Dayton, OHIO (VR)
d.

m. 1. Pamela Kay Nelson
2. Teresa Lynn Kay

CHARMAINE LEE KEEN
b. July 26, 1962
p. Dayton, OHIO (VR)
d.

m. Kevin Eugene Remmy

JULIA MARGARET KEEN
b. September 24, 1963
p. Dayton, OHIO (VR)
d.

m. Jeffrey Wayne Scott

I was born in Everett, Massachusetts at 3 Washburn Pl. and recall living at 209 Bow St. and then to Charlestown, where I remember attending Bunker Hill School and Warren School. At Warren School, (in my mind) I can still see the Bunker Hill Monument from my classroom window. At that time I did not truly realize the historical importance of where I lived. We moved to Bath, Maine in 1948 for reasons not too clear. I attended Central Grammar School in Bath, the 6th and part of the 7th grade. My mother became ill to the point of being unable to care for us, and my father, who was now living in Dayton, Ohio and was married to Isabel at that time, and brought Patricia, James, Paul, and myself to Dayton, (Bert was already in Dayton) and Janice and Maureen went to Boston to live with Gilda. I attended Jackson School in Dayton -- 7th and 8th grade and my 9th grade was at Roosevelt High School. In the meantime, our mother recovered and moved back to Boston and raised Janice and Maureen and in 1952, married Chester Durning, a man in his late 60's when she married him. I went to live with them in 1952 in Woburn, MA and completed the 10th grade at Woburn High School. Durning got me a job at Epstein's Drug Store in Scollay Square in downtown Boston after school and in the summer. I returned to Dayton in late 1953 and did not go on with my schooling. I boxed in the 1954 Golden Gloves at Memorial Hall, but my pugilistic career was short-lived. I was knocked out in the first round of my only fight. A friend found me a job at the National Cash Register Company in Dayton and I was worked as a messenger-boy for awhile. I was now living on my own and lonely. At age 17, I enlisted in the United States Marine Corps on August 3, 1954. I attained the rank of Sergeant before being honorably discharged on August 3, 1957. I was stationed in El Toro, California, Marine Air Group 33, VMF 314, and met my wife, Beverly, at a USO dance in Santa Ana, California. We were married December 8, 1956. We moved to Dayton in August, 1958 and I was accepted as a police officer for the City of Dayton, December 1, 1958. (Robert R. Keen Dayton, Ohio 1991)

WE ARE FOLLOWING THE LINEAGE OF WILLIAM ROBERT KEEN (G13)

GRANDCHILDREN OF ROBERT ROGER KEEN AND BEVERLY ANN SMITH

PARENTS: KRISTINA LOUISE KEEN AND DAVID EARNEST MANN

DAVID PAUL MANN
b. July 31, 1982
p. Dayton, OH

MICHAEL CHRISTOPHER MANN
b. January 21, 1985
p. Dayton, OH

CHILD OF WILLIAM ROBERT KEEN AND PAMELA KAY NELSON

TIFFANY ANN KEEN
b. December 11, 1980
p. Dayton, OH

CHILDREN OF WILLIAM ROBERT KEEN AND TERESA LYNN KAY

STEVEN THOMAS KEEN
b. November 11, 1989
p. Kettering, OH

MELISSA MAE KEEN
b. December 22, 1992
p. Kettering, OH

CHILDREN OF CHARMAINE LEE KEEN AND KEVIN EUGENE REMMY

ROBERT FORREST REMMY
b. May 24, 1991
p. Dayton, OH

CASSANDRA MARIE REMMY
b. September 19, 1994
P. Middletown, OH

ROBERT AGE 56

Commonwealth of Massachusetts

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

CERTIFICATE OF BIRTH

FROM THE RECORDS OF BIRTHS IN THE CITY OF EVERETT
MASSACHUSETTS, U. S. A.

1. Full name of Child	ROBERT ROGER KEEN
2. Date of Birth	July 3, 1937
3. Sex, Color and if Twin	Male - White
4. Place of Birth	Everett, Mass.
5. Residence of Parents at time of Birth	Everett, Mass.
6. Name of Father	ERNEST H. KEEN
7. Occupation of Father	Machinists Helper
8. Birthplace of Father	Everett, Mass.
9. Maiden name of Mother	NANCY SMALL
10. Birthplace of Mother	New Brunswick
11. Date of Record	July 6, 1937

I, J. Kevin Dunn depose and say, that I hold the office of city clerk of the City of Everett, County of Middlesex, and Commonwealth of Massachusetts; that the records of Births, Marriages and Deaths in said City are in my custody, and that the above is a true extract from the records of Births, in said City, as certified by me.

Witness my hand and the Seal of said City, on the 6th day of January, 1977

J. Kevin Dunn

City Clerk

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CERTIFICATION OF VITAL RECORD

STATE OF CALIFORNIA

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH SERVICES

S-5333-035679 D-616

STATE OF CALIFORNIA
DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH
VITAL STATISTICS

2580 LOCAL REGISTERED No. 128

STANDARD CERTIFICATE OF BIRTH

1. PLACE OF BIRTH. Dist. No. 3054
County of Orange
City or Rural Registration District Orange W No. Orange County Hospital Ward
If birth occurred in a hospital or institution, give its NAME instead of street and number

2. FULL NAME OF CHILD Smith
If child is not yet named, make supplemental report as directed

3. Sex F | If plural births: 4. Twin, triplet, or other 5. Number, in order of birth | 6. Premature — Full term ✓ | 7. Date of birth (month, day, year) June 8 - 1933

FATHER	MOTHER
8. Full name Smith Walter S	17. Full maiden name Dierberger Ruby
9. Residence (usual place of abode; if nonresident, give place and State) Anaheim Cal	18. Residence (usual place of abode; if nonresident, give place and State) Anaheim Caly
10. Color or race Canc	19. Color or race Canc
11. Age at last birthday 20 years	20. Age at last birthday 21 years
12. Birthplace Pennsylvania (State or country)	21. Birthplace Nebraska (State or country)
OCCUPATION 13. Trade, profession, or particular kind of work done, as spinner, sawyer, bookkeeper, etc. Mechanic	OCCUPATION 22. Trade, profession, or particular kind of work done, as housekeeper, typist, nurse, clerk, etc. Housekeeper
14. Industry or business in which work was done, as silk mill, sawmill, bank, etc. County Relief Work	23. Industry or business in which work was done, as own home, lawyer's office, silk mill, etc. Her Talks
15. Date (month and year) last engaged in this work Cast Ting 19	24. Date (month and year) last engaged in this work 19
16. Total time (years) spent in this work 9 days at a time	25. Total time (years) spent in this work

26. If stillborn, period of gestation — months or weeks | 27. Cause of stillbirth | Before labor — During labor —

28. Was a prophylactic for Ophthalmia Neonatorum used? Yes If so, what? AgNO3 | 29. Specify congenital crippling deformities

30. Number of children of this mother (At time of this birth and including this child) 1 (a) Born alive and now living 1 (b) Born alive but now dead — (c) Stillborn —

31. CERTIFICATE OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR MIDWIFE*

I hereby certify that I attended the birth of this child, who was Born alive *at* 2:17 AM *m. on the date above stated.*
Born alive or stillborn

*When there was no attending physician or midwife, then the father, householder, etc., should make this return. A stillborn child is one that neither breathes nor shows other evidence of life after birth.

[SIGNED] J. B. Price, M.D.
Physician, midwife, father, etc.

Given name added from a supplemental report
Date of
Registrar

Address Orange Calif.

32. Filed JUN 14 1933 K. H. Sutherland M.D.
Date Registrar
J. H. Elizah

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Kenneth W. Kizer, MD, MPH, Director and State Registrar of Vital Statistics
by: David W. Mitchell
DAVID MITCHELL, CHIEF
OFFICE OF STATE REGISTRAR

DATE ISSUED MAR 12 1992

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REGISTRATION DISTRICT NO. 3054 REGISTRAR'S NUMBER 128

SUPPLEMENTAL NAME REPORT—BIRTH

FULL NAME OF CHILD TO BE ADDED	1a. FIRST NAME: Beverly	1b. MIDDLE NAME: Ann	1c. LAST NAME: Smith
INFORMANT	2. SIGNATURE OF PERSON ADDING NAME: ▶ Wesley E. Dierberger	3. RELATIONSHIP TO CHILD: Uncle	4. DATE SIGNED: 5/17/56
IDENTIFICATION OF CHILD	5a. PLACE OF BIRTH—CITY OR TOWN: West Orange,		5b. COUNTY: Orange
	6. DATE OF BIRTH: June 8, 1933	7. SEX: Female	8. IF TWIN OR TRIPLET, THIS CHILD 1ST, 2ND, 3RD: -
	9a. NAME OF FATHER—FIRST NAME: Walter	9b. MIDDLE NAME: S.	9c. LAST NAME: Smith
	10a. MAIDEN NAME OF MOTHER—FIRST NAME: Ruby	10b. MIDDLE NAME: -	10c. LAST NAME: Dierberger
MAILING ADDRESS OF PARENT	Beverly Ann Smith 11305 - E. Bolsa Santa Ana, Calif.	DO NOT WRITE IN SPACE BELOW—FOR REGISTRAR DATE NAME ENTERED ON CERTIFICATE SIGNATURE OF REGISTRAR ▶ SEE REVERSE FOR INSTRUCTIONS	

STATE OF CALIFORNIA (REV. 7-1-49) FORM RSS-107 DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH

AFFIDAVIT TO CORRECT A RECORD

STATE FILE NO. [x] BIRTH [ ] DEATH [ ] MARRIAGE REGISTRATION DISTRICT NO. 3054 REGISTRAR'S NUMBER 128

REGISTRANT INFORMATION SEE INSTRUCTIONS ON REVERSE	1a. FIRST NAME: Beverly	1b. MIDDLE NAME: Ann	1c. LAST NAME: Smith
	2. PLACE OF OCCURRENCE—CITY OR COUNTY: West Orange, Orange County	3. DATE OF EVENT: June 8, 1933	4. DATE ORIGINAL FILED: June 14, 1933
	5. NAME OF FATHER: Walter S. Smith	6. MAIDEN NAME OF MOTHER: Ruby Dierberger	

STATEMENT OF CORRECTIONS

7 ITEM NUMBER	8a. FACTS EXACTLY AS STATED ON THE ORIGINAL RECORD	8b. FACTS AS THEY SHOULD HAVE BEEN STATED ON THE ORIGINAL AT THE TIME OF OCCURRENCE.
7	June 8, 1933	7- June 9, 1933
8	Walter S. Smith	8- Walter Samuel Smith

WHY IS CHANGE NECESSARY? 9

FIRST SUPPORTING AFFIDAVIT

10. I, THE AFFIANT, HAVING PERSONAL KNOWLEDGE OF THE ABOVE FACTS AND RELATED AS Uncle TO THE REGISTRANT NAMED IN ITEM 1 OF THIS DOCUMENT, DO SOLEMNLY SWEAR THAT THE FACTS LISTED UNDER ITEM 8A ABOVE WERE INCORRECTLY STATED AT THE TIME OF THE EVENT, AND TO MAKE THE ORIGINAL RECORD A TRUE STATEMENT OF THE FACTS AS THEY EXISTED AT THE TIME OF OCCURRENCE, THE AMENDMENTS LISTED UNDER ITEM 8B ABOVE ARE NECESSARY.

SUBSCRIBED AND SWORN TO BEFORE ME ON THIS 17 DAY OF May 19 56

SIGNATURE OF AFFIANT: ▶ Wesley E. Dierberger — AGE OF AFFIANT: 46

SIGNATURE AND SEAL OF NOTARY PUBLIC: ▶ C. L. Brandon

ADDRESS OF AFFIANT—STREET ADDRESS: 1215 E. Santa Ana St

NOTARY PUBLIC IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF Orange STATE OF Calif. MY COMMISSION EXPIRES 4-9-57

ADDRESS OF AFFIANT—CITY AND STATE: Anaheim Calif.

SECOND SUPPORTING AFFIDAVIT

11. I, THE AFFIANT, HAVING PERSONAL KNOWLEDGE OF THE ABOVE FACTS AND RELATED AS Uncle TO THE REGISTRANT NAMED IN ITEM 1 OF THIS DOCUMENT, DO SOLEMNLY SWEAR THAT THE FACTS LISTED UNDER ITEM 8A ABOVE WERE INCORRECTLY STATED AT THE TIME OF THE EVENT, AND TO MAKE THE ORIGINAL RECORD A TRUE STATEMENT OF THE FACTS AS THEY EXISTED AT THE TIME OF OCCURRENCE, THE AMENDMENTS LISTED UNDER ITEM 8B ABOVE ARE NECESSARY.

SUBSCRIBED AND SWORN TO BEFORE ME ON THIS 17 DAY OF May 19 56

SIGNATURE OF AFFIANT: ▶ George Dierberger — AGE OF AFFIANT: 52

SIGNATURE AND SEAL OF NOTARY PUBLIC: ▶ C. L. Brandon

ADDRESS OF AFFIANT—STREET ADDRESS: 528 W. Vermont Ave

NOTARY PUBLIC IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF Orange STATE OF Calif. MY COMMISSION EXPIRES 4-9-57

ADDRESS OF AFFIANT—CITY AND STATE: Anaheim Calif.

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CERTIFICATE OF REGISTRY OF MARRIAGE

(PERSONAL DATA, LICENSE TO MARRY, CERTIFICATION OF MARRIAGE)

LOCAL REGISTRAR'S NUMBER 2727

GROOM PERSONAL DATA

1a. NAME OF GROOM (FIRST NAME) Robert	1b. MIDDLE NAME Roger	1c. LAST NAME Keen	2. AGE OF GROOM (LAST BIRTHDAY) 19 YEARS
3a. USUAL RESIDENCE OF GROOM (STREET ADDRESS OR RURAL SITE LOCATION) 420 East Sixth Street		3b. CITY OR TOWN Santa Ana	3c. COUNTY Orange
4. COLOR OR RACE White	5. NEVER MARRIED, WIDOWED, DIVORCED, MARRIAGE ANNULLED Divorced	6. NUMBER OF TIME PREVIOUSLY MARRIED One	7. BIRTHPLACE Massachusetts
8a. NAME OF FATHER OF GROOM Ernest Howell Keen	8b. BIRTHPLACE OF FATHER Mass.	9a. MAIDEN NAME OF MOTHER OF GROOM Nancy Lillian Small	9b. BIRTHPLACE OF MOTHER Canada

BRIDE PERSONAL DATA

10a. NAME OF BRIDE (FIRST NAME) Beverly	10b. MIDDLE NAME Ann	10c. LAST NAME Smith	11. AGE OF BRIDE (LAST BIRTHDAY) 23 YEARS
12a. USUAL RESIDENCE OF BRIDE (STREET ADDRESS OR RURAL SITE LOCATION) 420 East Sixth Street		12b. CITY OR TOWN Santa Ana	12c. COUNTY Orange
13. COLOR OR RACE White	14. NEVER MARRIED, WIDOWED, DIVORCED, MARRIAGE ANNULLED Never Married	15. NUMBER OF TIME PREVIOUSLY MARRIED None	16. BIRTHPLACE California
17a. NAME OF FATHER OF BRIDE Walter L. Smith	17b. BIRTHPLACE OF FATHER Okla.	18a. MAIDEN NAME OF MOTHER OF BRIDE Ruby Dierberger	18b. BIRTHPLACE OF MOTHER Nebr.
19. MAIDEN NAME OF BRIDE IF PREVIOUSLY MARRIED X X X X X X X X X X X X			

LICENSE TO MARRY

We, the bride and groom named in this certificate, each for himself, state that the foregoing information is correct to the best of our knowledge and belief, that no legal objection to the marriage nor to the knowledge of a bride or a groom is known to us, and hereby apply for license to marry.

20a. BRIDE (SIGN FULL NAME) Beverly Ann Smith		20b. GROOM (SIGN FULL NAME) Robert Roger Keen	
21a. SUBSCRIBED AND SWORN TO BEFORE ME ON 12/4/56	21b. COUNTY CLERK L. B. WALLACE	Jean Bournemite DEPUTY	
21c. COUNTY OF ISSUE OF LICENSE ORANGE	21d. DATE LICENSE ISSUED December 4, 1956	21e. LICENSE NUMBER	

CERTIFICATION OF PERSON PERFORMING CEREMONY AND WITNESS

22. I hereby certify that the above named bride and groom were joined by me in marriage in accordance with the laws of the State of California on December 8, 1956 317 E 6th Santa Ana California

23a. SIGNATURE OF WITNESS Carol Bibber	24a. SIGNATURE OF PERSON PERFORMING CEREMONY [illegible]
23b. ADDRESS OF WITNESS (STREET ADDRESS) 15732 Vailes St	24b. OFFICIAL TITLE AND DENOMINATION IF PRIEST OR MINISTER Methodist Minister
23c. ADDRESS OF WITNESS—CITY OR TOWN AND STATE Santa Ana Calif	24c. ADDRESS OF PERSON PERFORMING CEREMONY 317 E 6th Santa Ana Calif

LOCAL REGISTRAR (COUNTY RECORDER)

25. DATE RECEIVED BY LOCAL REGISTRAR (COUNTY RECORDER) DEC 13 1956

26. LOCAL REGISTRAR (COUNTY RECORDER) Ruby McFarland BY DEPUTY

STATE OF CALIFORNIA — DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH

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I'll return, wounded cop says

By Fred Lawson
Journal Herald Staff Writer

"Is the job worth this? Here I am shot and may die for a few measly dollars."

This was the first thought Dayton Detective Robert R. Keen had after he realized he had been shot by an armed robber 11 days ago.

Then he started thinking "Who's going to take care of my kids?"

But Keen — father of four girls and a boy — says he still wants to be a policeman and is anxious "to get back to work."

"I'm a professional cop — I wouldn't be happy doing anything else," he said yesterday.

KEEN SAYS he didn't realize he had been shot and thought blood running down his pants leg "was from an injury to my rear end — maybe in a fall during the shootout or hitting my rear on a car in trying to escape the shooting."

He was talking to two store clerks following the shootout when "the pain in my stomach bent me over and I suddenly realized I had been hit."

Keen, 35, a 14-year member of the department, described his thoughts following the shooting from his bed at Miami Valley Hospital. He is recovering from a wound to the lower abdomen suffered Dec. 18 during a shootout with two men following an armed robbery of the Lawson Milk Store at 864 Valley St. He was off duty and filling in that night for another officer who worked as a parttime security guard at the store.

THE BULLET tore his bladder as it passed through his body, said Keen.

"I'm going to be as good as new when I heal, but doctors tell me that if the bullet had been an inch either way I would have been in serious trouble," said Keen.

He is recovering rapidly and expects to get to go home tomorrow. Keen says he has been told he might return to work "in six or eight weeks if everything goes as expected."

The homicide squad officer says he has been flooded with cards and letters, mostly from friends and relatives, "but many from people I don't know." He said many of the cards from strangers include messages, such as, "I am wishing you a speedy recovery" and "thanks for being a policeman and taking the risks to protect us."

And students at Allen Elementary School, which is near the store, took up a collection and sent him a check for $20, said Keen.

KEEN SAYS he was completely surprised by the shooting because "I had the drop on them and I was only 10 to 15 feet away and holding my gun on them. Suddenly, one of them raised his gun and I saw a flash."

Only one of the robbers fired — "he fired until he ran out of bullets, I thought it would never stop." And Keen says he is sure he wounded the gunman.

"I'm sure I hit him once, and maybe twice, because he fell twice — but got up each time. "I know it was slippery that night, but I'm sure I hit him. But maybe just in the arm or leg on a grazing shot," said Keen.

No suspects have been arrested in the robbery and shooting, police said.

Keen says he is sure he was hit by the first shot fired because, "I immediately ducked behind my car for cover and after that only my head and arm were exposed."

He says he has never been shot before and didn't know what to expect, but "it was a weird feeling."

"I always thought you would feel it if you were shot, but I didn't. Maybe the bullet went through so quickly, or maybe it was because it didn't hit any vital organs — or maybe it was because I was so excited at the moment."

HE SAYS he was aware his rear end hurt (it turned out the bullet went out that area), but he said he fell running behind the car "and assumed I hurt it then, or perhaps hurt it against the car."

He said he walked into the store to ask the clerks to call police and saw blood running down his pants leg.

"I still thought it was from my rear, but just then something hit me in the stomach like something grabbing my guts and twisting and I bent over with pain. At that point it dawned on me I had been shot."

Keen earlier had radioed the police dispatcher of the armed robbery in progress at the store, and about that time officers arrived.

"It was the most beautiful sight in the world," he says of their arrival.

"They insisted I lay down because I had been shot, but I refused because I was afraid that if I got down I'd never get back up.

"I'M not kidding, I was scared."

He says he remained conscious in the ambulance on the "bumpy ride" to the hospital. And he remembers "the tubes being put in my stomach and nose and arm."

Keen pointed out, with a grin, that he agreed to work at the store for just one night "and that's the way it turned out — one night."

He said he didn't want to accept the job, but the officer who had the job was ill and could not find anyone else to sub for him.

Keen said he reported to the store at 8 p.m. and was within 15 minutes of quitting time when it happened about 10:45 p.m.

"I was in the back room, which had a little window I could peek through, when I saw one of the men pull his cap down over his eyes and stick a gun in a clerk's face," he recalls.

KEEN SAID he used his police radio to notify the dispatcher of the robbery "and then I went out a side door and around toward the front in order to confront the men outside and not put the clerks in danger."

He said the robbers walked out "in just a second or two. I identified myself as an officer and then one turned and shot."

He said he didn't recognize either of the robbers and believes "they may be from outside the area because I know, or have seen pictures, of most of our rogues."

Keen said he learned something from the incident — "never to be on a stakeout by myself, it's too dangerous."

THE JOURNAL HERALD
Friday, December 29, 1972

Staff Photo by Walt Kleine

Detective Robert Keen: 'I'm a professional cop'

1 of 2 suspects held in policeman shooting

Tuesday, January 23, 1973
THE JOURNAL HERALD

Dayton police are holding one of two men suspected of an armed robbery of a Lawson's store last month which resulted in the wounding of Detective Robert R. Keen, who was working there as a part-time security guard.

A warrant for the arrest of the second suspect, who is stationed at the U.S. Marine Corps base at Quantico, Va., has been sent to base officials, police reported.

Detectives are expected to go to the base later this week to return the Marine to Dayton, according to Sgt. Stanley F. Burneka, head of the police's robbery squad.

The Marine was absent without leave when he allegedly participated in the robbery of the Lawson Milk Store at 864 Valley St. last Dec. 18, according to Burneka.

Keen was shot in the stomach while trying to apprehend two suspects outside the store following the robbery. He is out of the hospital and has made a few visits to the department since the shooting, but has not returned to work.

The suspect in custody, a 19-year-old Nicholas Road man, was arrested at 2:10 a.m. Saturday in Middletown as he returned his girl friend to her home, Burneka said.

He said an investigation revealed the suspect was going with the Middletown girl and he and Detective Ralph Bantle joined Middletown officers in a stakeout of the house. The suspect offered no resistence, Burneka said.

Information linking the two suspects to the robbery of the milk store and the wounding of Keen was obtained during questioning of 12 persons recently arrested for a series of armed robberies in the city.

Suspect To Return

A second suspect in the Dec. 18 shooting of Det. Robert R. Keen waived extradition Thursday and probably will be returned to Dayton early next week, according to Lt. Richard Schulte, chief of the detective section.

The suspect, a Marine stationed at Quantico Marine base, Virginia, was arrested by the FBI. He waived extradition in a hearing here Thursday morning, Schulte said.

KEEN WAS shot as he tried to arrest two men who had just robbed the Lawson's Dairy store, 864 Valley St. One suspect was arrested in mid-January.

Police expect to file charges against both suspects next week.

Keen, a homicide detective, expects to return to work Feb. 12, pending final approval from his physician. He was shot in the stomach.

DAYTON DAILY NEWS
Wednesday, December 27, 1972

Stolen Car Sought As Holdup Clue

Dayton Police are seeking citizen help in locating a stolen 1966 Ford Galaxie convertible they think was used in an armed robbery in which homicide Det. Robert R. Keen was shot.

Lt. Richard Schulte, chief of the detective section, said that just prior to the 10:45 p.m. armed robbery Dec. 18 at the Lawson Dairy store, 864 Valley St., the car was stolen from in front of 47 Notre Dame Ave.

THE CAR, described as having a black top, brown bottom, Ohio License 7212 NR, serial number 8G 65X 138572, has not been located.

Persons seeing a car fitting that description are asked to contact Schulte, Sgt. S. F. Burneka or Sgt. Eugene Melson at the police department.

Police suspect the car may now bear a different license plate.

POLICE HAVE no suspects in the wounding of Keen, 35, who was removed from the coutinous care unit Sunday at Miami Valley hospital.

He is reported resting and recovering. He expects to go home this week end, but is not expected to be back to work for several weeks.

The soon-to-be President Richard Nixon on the campaign trail in 1967 at the Courthouse steps in Dayton, Ohio. On the wall is Robert Keen (with the video camera - something new at that time - at the corner of the wall) keeping an eye on the crowd during presidential security detail. Keen was assigned to protect Goldwater and L.B. Johnson during their campaigns in Dayton.

To the left are two "mug" shots of Robert Keen as a young uniformed Dayton Police Officer in the early 1960's.

MONTGOMERY COUNTY JUVENILE COURT

VINCENT M. SHIELDS
JUDGE

ARTHUR O. FISHER
JUDGE

FAMILY COURT CENTER • 303 WEST SECOND STREET
DAYTON, OHIO 45402
AREA CODE 513

September 21, 1976

The Hundred Club of Dayton
333 West First Street
Dayton, Ohio 45401

Dear Sirs:

It has come to our attention that Dayton Police Juvenile Officer, Robert R. Keen is facing the prospect of medical retirement due to complications from a gunshot wound received in the line of duty some four years ago. We of the Juvenile Court staff, as a way of expressing our appreciation to him, wish to place his name in nomination for the Robert B. Jacob Award of Merit. We feel that he is deserving of this award for outstanding service to the community and cite such reasons as his willingness to exert extra effort, to place his job before personal needs, and above all, his spirit of concern in working with juveniles and their parents.

One such case in point being the Witchcraft case which Detective Keen worked on from December, 1975 until February, 1976. This case began as a routine juvenile missing report and through his diligence, resulted in adult contributing charges being filed and the eventual closing of the Witche's Cauldron store which had been a haven for runnway teens.

This officer's dedication to duty, concern and co-operation have assisted all of us in the performance of our own tasks and have likewise helped to foster a cooperative spirit between the Dayton Police Department and this Court.

We shall miss Detective Keen and feel he deserves commendation for the fine job he has done.

Sincerely,

Showbiz Through Eyes of a Cop

On the local theatrical level, the Kenley Players' summer season is drawing to a close at Memorial Hall.

Tuesday night, John Kenley's production of "Catch Me If You Can" marks the second-last show of his 12-week summer stint.

On the surface, it looks as if this season has been the the biggest boxoffice grosser of all Kenley seasons. That means more people, than ever before, have seen the usually fine fare that producer Kenley purveys at Memorial Hall each year.

"More people" bring more problems—to boxoffice help, usherettes, theater management and all the others who're known as "front of the house" folks. This category also includes Bob Keen.

Robert ("Bob") R. Keen is Kenley's official chief security officer and works the front o' the house before, during and after each Kenley show.

YOU MAY NOT recognize Bob by sight. He wears no uniform at Memorial Hall. You may know his voice. He's the guy who calls out "Places, please" Five minutes to curtain!" Bob also informs intermission loungers, like me, that the next act is upcoming. Like the "Scarlet Pimpernel," Keen's "here . . . there . . . everywhere" but not so elusive.

Bob Keen is also quite the observer—of patrons and human nature. Keen's keen eyes 'n ears stand him in good stead for his full-time profession.

Y'see, Bob's also a member of the City of Dayton's Constabulary of Police.

RECENTLY, Bob took time to jot down some notes for theatergoers. Not just for Kenley's summer patrons but for all seasons. Here are a few of 'em:

—Pick your tickets up early . . . before the day of the show if possible. If a mistake has been made, it's easier to rectify then, rather than five minutes before showtime . . .

—On busy, or possible sellout shows, have your cash or checks ready when you arrive at the boxoffice. Immediately after the transaction, BEFORE LEAVING THE TICKET WINDOW, do a complete double-check. Remember, THERE ARE NO REFUNDS once you leave . . .

—If you tell someone you'll meet them in the lobby, don't tell them "in front of the boxoffice." The congestion there is something fierce . . .

—Unlike the movies, a stage performance should be attended on time. Just because you have your tickets "in hand" does not mean you can wait till the last minute. On a total (SRO) sellout performance, there are some 2,500 other folks thinking the same thing and 2,500 ticketholders just cannot be "funneled" through just two ticket-doors at Memorial Hall in a matter of minutes . . .

Keen's perceptive notes also contained some kicky items—like this one:

"An amusing situation invariably crops up on a total sellout show when the customer is told by the boxoffice personnel, 'All we have are singles' and the customer almost-always queries, 'Are they together?' "

Ah well, as Bob Keen would sigh, that's showbiz . . .

Bob Keen: He has tips for theatergoers.

DAYTON DAILY NEWS
SUNDAY, AUGUST 22, 1971

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Homicide Detective Finds Kids

Too Many Slayings, His Own Close Call Brings Request for Transfer

By RON ROAT
Daily News Staff Writer

A bullet fired five months ago at Dayton Det. Robert R. Keen, 33, had a larger effect than intended by the robber fleeing the Lawson Dairy Store, 864 Valley St.

A detective who investigated bloodied bodies for two years, Keen suddenly found his own bloodied body close to death.

That event, among others, has figured heavily in Keen's growing criticisms of the shortage of police manpower and people's feelings toward death in general.

"DEATH SIMPLY appalls me," Keen said. "And it seems like people just don't care about it anymore."

Two weeks ago he was transferred at his own request. He now handles juvenile offenders and finds missing kids. It is a drastic change for a man who has solved all but three of over 80 homicide investigations he has handled.

As a result of the Dec. 18 gunshot wound in the abdomen, Keen spent two weeks at Miami Valley hospital and returned to work Feb. 12, possibly too quickly for complete recuperation.

THAT SHOOTING also has affected Keen's current disenchantement with "hard-core" police work, which involves routine encounters with armed hoodlums.

"I'm sure I'll get over it, but I get nervous around people with guns any more," he said.

The 14-year veteran of the police department said he was not idealistic when he joined the department. "I needed a job."

But during his career he came to enjoy his work, take pride in it and look forward to coming to the office in the morning.

RECENTLY, things have changed somewhat.

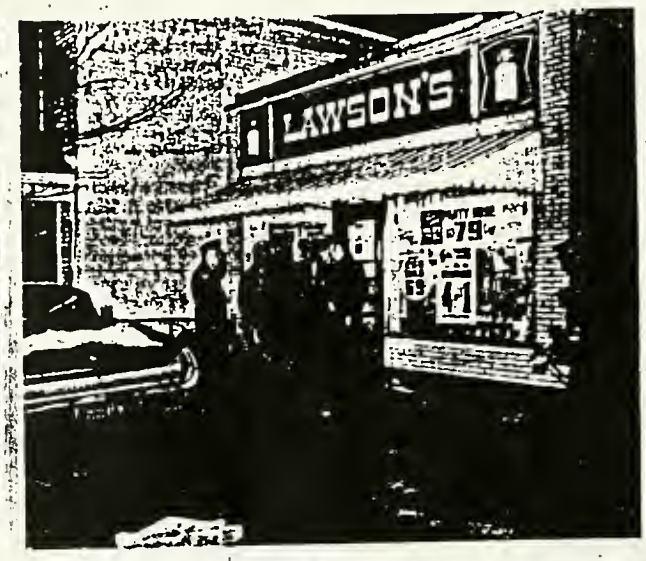
"Going out to the homicide scenes kind of got to me phychologically," Keen said. "I'd see how unconcerned' some people were about the body, their relative, laying on the floor, there. They'd already be arguing about who will get his belongings."

Last year a man was shot to death and Keen was sent to investigate. The victim's brother walked up to Keen and said, "For crying out loud, I just buried my wife and now I've got to bury him."

POLICEMEN are supposed to be emotionally aloof on their cases, but it is difficult when they are dealing daily with the dead and their confused and saddened relatives.

And when Keen gathers evidence against a 'suspect, he is disappointed when the

DET. ROBERT KEEN



LAWSON DAIRY STORE WHERE KEEN WAS SHOT DEC. 18, 1972

'I Get Nervous Around People With Guns Anymore'

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"When you find out later the lawyers have let the man plead guilty to a lesser charge, you just get mad about it," Keen said.

KEEN'S ATTITUDE is also a victim of austerity. Policemen are at their limit, Keen says.

"Homicide is the most serious crime we have, and we have only three men handling them, plus morals, rapes, serious assaults, bomb threats, obscene phone calls and whatnot," he said. "Then we have court duty in addition to that.

"There just isn't enough time to do the job as thoroughly as we'd like. And we have more homicides this year than ever."

EVEN AFTER investigations are com-

> 'Going out to the homicide scenes kind of got to me psychologically. I'd see how unconcerned some people were about the body, their relative, laying on the floor, there. They'd already be arguing about who will get his belongings.'

But, as much as anything, Keen is tired.

The bullet wound he received Dec. 18, possibly the most significant factor in Keen's present attitude, is sapping the former active athlete of his energy. He returned to work this past week after a 2½-week rest to recover from fatigue stemming from the wound.

"I CAN'T sit down and it hurts to stand up," Keen said. "The doctor told me it was muscle problems and that I should exercise. But it is very painful."

Keen, like so many detectives, is also concerned with the unofficial responsibilities policemen carry. Citizens look to them for advice when they have no place else to turn, and policemen struggle with problems few social agencies like to handle.

The elderly wife of a homicide victim called Keen recently, for example, and told him that the brothers and sisters of her dead husband were going to take and divide his belongings, leaving her with nothing.

"SHE SAID, 'What should I do, Mr. Keen.' I told her, 'You give them nothing. That stuff is yours at least until the estate is settled. If they want something, you tell them to get a lawyer and sue you for it. And if they give you any trouble, you call us immediately.'" Keen told her.

SPECIAL ORDER October 25, 1976

COMMANDERS - DIVISIONS, DISTRICTS AND BUREAUS

Detective Robert R. Keen, assigned to Operations Division, Investigative Services Bureau, is retiring on Disability Pension effective at the close of business November 1d, 1976.

DIRECTOR OF POLICE

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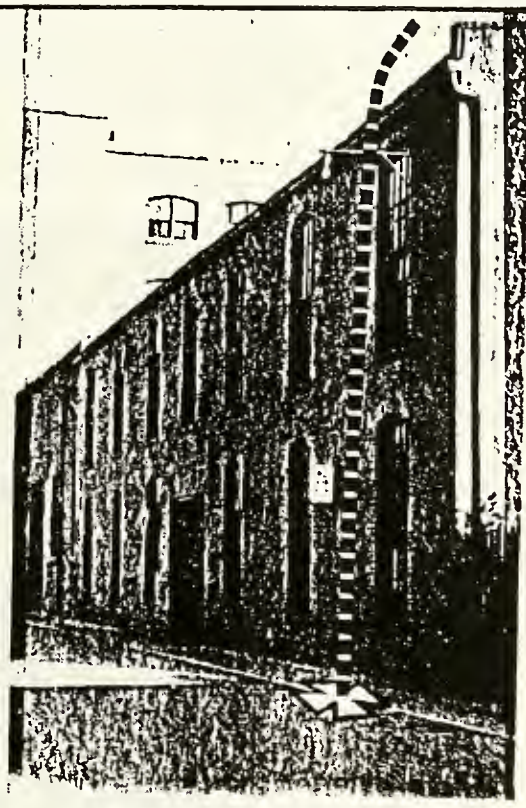

LINE SHOWS WHERE SUSPECT FELL
In Poor Condition.—Staff Photo by Horn

WANTED IN HOLDUP

Cop's Bullet Topples Suspect From Rooftop

A 27-year-old man was in poor condition today in Miami Valley hospital with wounds suffered when a policeman's bullet toppled him from a 30-foot rooftop.

R. Barnes

Ralph Barnes, 27, of 1509 Tampa Ave., suffered a bullet wound of the back a few minutes after he held up an East Side grocery store and fled with $40, police said.

R. R. Keen T. L. Davis

PTL. R. R. KEEN said he fired four warning shots before he shot Barnes during a chase across rooftops on Second St.

"When he got to the edge on Front St., Keen said, "he looked like he was going to jump. That's when I took aim and fired."

Barnes fell from the roof of the block-long International Envelope Co., 1000 E. Second St. The rear of the building is on Front St.

DET. SGT. W. K. Mortimer said Barnes admitted the 8:20 p.m. holdup at Whitey's Carryout at 1 Springfield St.

Ptls. Keen and T. L. Davis were on their way to the scene when they spotted Barnes.

Earl Brumley, owner of the carryout, said the man came in, asked for a pack of matches and then drew a revolver. He took $10 from the register.

KEEN AND Davis, 10 blocks away at the time, spotted Barnes in a parking lot at Second and Dutoit Sts. He jumped a fence and took to the rooftops as Keen gave chase.

"I must have yelled at him 20 times," Keen said.

DDN 11/3/61

Officer Wounds Bandit After Roof-Top Chase

J.H. 11/3/61 By Ann Heller
Journal Herald Staff Writer

A policeman shot and critically wounded a robber last night after he chased him across rooftops along East Second street.

The wounded bandit toppled 30 feet to the ground.

Ralph Barnes, 27, of 1509 Tampa street, is in critical condition at Miami Valley hospital with one bullet wound in the back.

The shooting happened minutes after a man robbed Whitey's Carryout at 1 Springfield street.

The owner, Earl Brumley, said the man asked for a pack of matches and then drew a revolver.

He took approximately $50 in bills and change from the cash register. Brumley followed the robber down an alley while Mrs. Brumley called police.

Uniform Patrolmen R. R. Keen and T. L. Davis were about 10 blocks away when the call was broadcast. They spotted the suspect in a parking lot at Second and Dutoit streets.

Keen said Barnes ran when he saw the cruiser. The suspect jumped a fence, crawled onto a low roof and then onto a higher roof.

Davis stayed in the cruiser in order to cut the man off if he jumped. Keen started after the suspect.

"He seemed boxed in on the roof," he said. "I told him to come down, that he didn't have a chance."

The suspect ran over a 10 foot ledge to the next roof.

"I called to him again to halt," Keen said. "I must have yelled at him 20 times."

When Barnes continued to run, Keen fired two warning shots in the air and climbed to the roof.

The officer fired two more warning shots as he chased the man across the block-long building that belongs to the International Envelope Manufacturing company.

"When he got to the edge, on Front street, he looked like he was going to jump," Keen said. "That's when I took aim and fired."

The man fell from the roof.

Wounded Man Charged

A 27-year-old Dayton man, shot from the roof of a building a few minutes after a holdup at an East Side store, was charged with armed robbery yesterday.

Ralph Barnes of 1509 Tampa Ave. was charged with the $40 robbery of Whitney's Carry-out, 1 Springfield St., last Saturday.

Barnes fell from the roof of the International Envelope Co. building at 1000 E. Second St. after being shot by Ptl. R. R. Keen. The patrolman said Barnes attempted to elude him during a chase across rooftops.

Barnes was listed in poor condition at Miami Valley hospital with a bullet wound in the back.

A NOTE OF INFORMATION:

Det. Sgt. W.K. Mortimer was killed by an armed robber in 1974. He was the investigating detective in this case. Officer Talmadge Davis, was one of the biggest partners I ever had (6'4" 250 lbs.) and one of the nicest guys you could meet. He was a gentle giant. Several years later, we were dispatched to a gang fight and when we arrived, T.L. was immediately kicked in the groin by one of the rioters. After a few moments getting his breath back, T.L. became very angry and kicked the man in the groin numerous times. He had to be physically stopped. The man was so drunk, he showed no ill affects. Davis was very ashamed of himself and apologized to me many times for losing his temper. Shortly thereafter, he resigned from the Police Department because "I don't like what it's doing to me." He now farms and lives in Tennessee. He was a good man and partner. *RRK*

TO: Robert M. Igleburger
Director of Police

FROM: Sgt. E.H. Melson
Investigative Services Bureau
Commanding Homicide Detail

March 6, 1973

SUBJECT: Recommendation for Award of Distinguished Service Medal to Det. R.R. Keen

Sir:

At approximately 10:45 PM on December 18, 1972, Det. R.R. Keen was working on an off-duty stakeout at the Lawson store on Valley Street because of a series of armed robberies which had taken place at these particular stores for the past few weeks. Just as the store was preparing to close for the day, two adult black male subjects entered the store and approached the two female clerks at the counter. Suspect #2 asked for a fruit drink and as one of the clerks turned to get it, suspect #1 produced a revolver and announced that it was a hold up. As the two clerks complied and surrendered the register money, Det. Keen, who was concealed in the rear room, took cognizance of the fact that if he attempted to confront the suspects in the store, in all probability it would have precipitated a shoot out, endangering the two clerks. At this point Det. Keen slipped out the rear door and ran to the front of the building and en-route contacted the dispatcher via 450 radio and reported the robbery in progress. Det. Keen observed both suspects come out of the front door and into the parking lot at which time the officer identified himself as a police officer and ordered the suspects to halt. Suspect #1 immediately swirled around and fired a shot at Keen, the bullet hitting the officer in the lower center abdomen. Det. Keen returned the fire, emptying his gun and causing the #1 suspect to fall two times in the lot, however, the suspect was not hit. Suspect #2 had already fled the area on foot. When suspect #1 fell the second time he dropped some of the money realized from the robbery which was later recovered by the investigating detectives. While down the second time Keen, seriously wounded, his weapon now empty, advanced on the fallen subject who was in possession of a loaded gun, and attempted to apprehend the suspect. The suspect, however, got up and fled the scene. Det. Keen attempted to chase the suspect but realizing his condition, went back into the store and collapsed. At this point police crews were on the scene and Keen was taken to MVH by ambulance where he was admitted in critical condition and where he hovered between life and death for several days.

As you know he made a miraculous recovery and has now returned to active duty. Both suspects have since been apprehended, arrested and identified by Det. Keen, which enabled the Robbery Squad to charge the suspects with ~~shooting to kill Det. Keen~~.

I personally feel that Det. Keen in not confronting the suspects in the store displayed extreme intelligence and thoughtfulness for the safety of the two clerks. I also feel that this officer expressed outstanding courage in this serious situation and took proper, positive action necessary in this matter, even though it nearly cost him his life. Therefore I sincerely solicit your consideration in awarding this detective the Department's highest award for the action taken by Keen exemplified his direct police professional action whether on or off duty.

Respectfully submitted,

Sgt E.H. Melson

Sgt. E.H. Melson,
Investigative Services Bureau

Punching Cop in Nose Costs Workhouse Term

DDN c. 1961

Punching a Dayton police officer in the nose cost a 45-year-old Dayton man 30 days in the workhouse today.

Municipal Judge William P. Keane sentenced Wiley T. Halloway, of the Veteran Administration center, 1100 W. Third St., following his guilty plea to assault and battery.

JUDGE KEANE sentenced Halloway to one year in the workhouse and fined him $1,000 and $8.60 costs. However, all but the 30 days was suspended.

According to Pfl. R. R. Keen, he was looking Halloway on suspicion of drunkenness Sunday in the Safety building when Halloway struck his arm and bloodied his nose.

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29 of 30 Homicides Solved, But Keen's Still Looking

By WILLIAM HERSHEY
Daily News Staff Writer

She was found in her bed by neighbors Oct. 4, 1970. There were three stab wounds. Ethel Elizabeth Euell, 25, of 2706 W. Third St., had been murdered.

In the 19 months since, Robert Keen has not solved the murder.

But that's the only current blemish on the Dayton police detective's record. The ex-Marine prefers solving homicides, and of the 30 cases he has been assigned, he has cleared 29.

The 34-year-old Keen, a veteran of 14 years on the city police department, has not quit on the Euell case.

"HE'S WORKING on that one (number 30) now and I've got confidence he'll solve it, too," said Sgt. Gene Melson, who heads the homicide squad.

Melson thinks so much of Keen's first-year performance as a detective that he's recommended him to Chief Robert M. Igleburger for a certificate of merit.

Keen mostly thinks about number 30.

"I'd like to solve that unsolved one. It's never out of my mind," he said.

Keen learned that Miss Euell had called police earlier on Oct. 4, 1970, to report that burglars stole a television from her house.

A MURDER that accompanies another crime is usually more difficult to solve. That's because it's less likely the victim and the murderer know each other.

Keen won't say whether his investigation has found a link between the burglary and the killing.

"All I can say is that I follow every lead that comes in," said Keen. If this sounds methodical, Keen won't argue. "I hope that's the way I work."

This was the way Keen had to work May 2 when the body of Edward Lee Aldridge, 22, was found on the Miami river levee at the rear of Stanley Ave.

Aldridge, a Vietnam veteran, had been shot in the head at close range with a shotgun. There was little to go on and Keen said it was one of the toughest cases he has had.

"IT WAS VERY confusing. There was more than one incident involved in the shooting and witnesses were difficult to locate," Keen remembered.

Working methodically, Keen and other detectives traced Aldridge's movements on the day of the slaying and talked to as many people as they could in connection with the crime.

Within eight days, a member of a Dayton motorcycle gang was arrested.

Keen admits methodology and patience aren't enough. He agrees with Sgt. Melson, the homicide squad supervisor, that "police savvy and a bit of luck are also essential."

Good luck played an important role for Keen in solving the murder of Sylvester Leingang, killed with a shotgun during a robbery attempt in his cellar.

"WE WERE completely stumped," Keen said of the April 1971 killing.

Then an unexpected source came up with the information police had been looking for. "It was really lucky. The person was honest enough to help out, and it broke the case," Keen related.

Right now, Keen and other members of the homicide need all the luck they can get. The city had a record 89 homicides in 1971, and 20 more were reported for the first quarter of this year.

There are other frustrations for Keen besides the upswing in the homicide rate.

HOMICIDE, TO KEEN, is "the ultimate crime." Put another way, this means solving a homicide can't give anybody quite the same satisfaction as recovering a stolen car or exposing a con man. In Keen's business, the victims can't be recovered.

"I get very frustrated sometimes because I just don't quite get enough satisfaction from the victim's family. I can understand their frustration, and get the feeling like 'did I do enough?' Yet, I know I've done all I can," Keen said.

The people Keen arrests are even less appreciative. After one man was recently found guilty, he jumped up and said Keen promised to see him burn.

"I felt like jumping up and denying it but I didn't. This is a guy who's been sent up for life and he might be a little upset," Keen reasoned.

DESPITE THE frustrations, it's unlikely Keen will switch jobs. He prefers the challenge.

One of 11 children he worked his way through several jobs and the Marine Corps before becoming a policeman. Now he has a family of his own—a wife and five children.

Keen said his wife Beverly "worries to death" but understands what makes her husband go. "I am so proud to be a policeman I don't want to bring any disgrace to the Dayton department," Keen said.

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ROBERT KEEN'S STRANGE ARSENAL
Guns and Knives Used in Homicides

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Detective Shot; Condition Good

By RON ROAT, Daily News Staff Writer

Dayton police Det. Robert R. (Robby) Keen was in good condition today at Miami Valley hospital where he is recovering from a gunshot wound to the abdomen in a shootout with two robbers Monday night.

The 14-year veteran of the department was shot about 10:45 p.m. when he tried to apprehend two robbers at Lawson's Dairy store, 864 Valley St., according to Lt. Richard Schulte, chief of the detective section.

Keen, 35, was on a one man stakeout at the store, which has been robbed several times recently.

SCHULTE said he would not be able to comment on why Keene was alone until he had conferred with Keen and his commander, Maj. Kenneth L. Williams.

Williams, along with the entire command staff of the department except Schulte, was at a staff meeting in the Criminal Justice center. They were not available for comment.

It is possible that Keen could face disciplinary action because former Capt. E. Russell Guerra once was reprimanded when he attempted to apprehend an armed suspect alone.

Schulte said Keen was in a stakeout in the back room of the store when the robbery began. Keen summoned police help, left through a side door and went out to the front of the store to stop the robbers.

ROBERT R. KEEN
In Store Shootout

WHEN KEEN reached the front, gunfire was exchanged and it is believed one of the robbers was shot, Schulte said. Additional details about the number of shots fired or what happened at the shooting were not available.

Keen, youngest member of Dayton's four-man homicide squad, managed to get back into the store before he collapsed.

It is not known whether the suspects fled on foot or in a car, but police were searching for a stolen car possibly involved in the robbery.

Crews from the 4 p.m. to midnight shift were held over for the search. In addition to more than 10 detectives, who worked until almost 5 a.m. today.

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Detective Shot In Store Stakeout

By RON ROAT, Daily News Staff Writer 12-19-72

Police Det. Robert R. (Bobby) Keen, shot in the stomach Monday night while on stakeout duty at a frequently robbed store, is in good condition today at Miami Valley hospital.

Keen was listed in good condition this morning recovering from a gunshot wound to the abdomen.

KEEN, a 14 year veteran of the police department, was shot about 10:45 p.m. Monday when he tried to apprehend two robbers at Lawson's Dairy store, 864 Valley St., according to Lt. Richard Schulte, chief of the detective section.

Police chaplain Ed Jackson, who talked with Keen's surgeon earlier today, said the bullet did not seriously strike any vital organs and that Keen would be "sore for a while" and would be fine soon.

The bullet did hit the bladder and bowel, the chaplain said.

Schulte said Keen was on a stakeout at the store, which has been robbed several times recently. When he saw the robbery in progress, Keen summoned police assistance from a backroom telephone.

HE THEN left the building from a side door and went to the front to confront the robbers, Shulte said. Gunfire was exchanged, and it is believed that one of the robbers was shot Shulte said.

Keen managed to get back into the building before collapsing, said Schulte, who has been conducting an investigation since the incident.

It is not known whether the suspects fled on foot or in a car, but police were searching for a stolen car possibly involved in the robbery.

Crews from the 4 p.m. to midnight shift were held over for the search, in addition to more than 10 detectives, who worked until almost 5 a.m. today.

POLICE have a basic description of the two men involved. The first is a black male in his late 20s, 5 foot 8 inches and about 170 pounds, wearing a dark leather jacket and dark tan trousers.

The second man was described as black about 20 years old, 5 foot 3 inches and about 150 pounds, wearing a black leather jacket with black trousers.

ROBERT R. KEEN
In Good Condition

An undetermined amount of money was taken in the robbery, police said.

Keen, 35, is the youngest dectective on the four-man homicide squad. Last May he received a letter of commendation from Police Chief Robert M. Igleberger for his excellent clearance rate of homicide cases. He had solved 29 of 30 assigned cases.

POLICE WORK brought Keen into a brush with death at least once before.

Keen was nearly shot in the head two years ago by an 80-year-old man who fired on him and another officer when they answered a disturbance call Jan. 4, 1971.

"I just feel lucky to be alive," Keen told friends later.

That encounter began when the octogenarian and a woman argued over a $10 loan the woman refused to repay. The man brandished a gun and threatened to shoot her.

When Keen and the other officer arrived, the man fired at Keen, narrowly missing his head. In return fire, the man was wounded in the legs and stomach.

STORE ROBBERY

15 Minutes Cost Officer

By RON ROAT, Daily News Staff Writer

Only 15 minutes more Monday night and Dayton Police Det. Robert R. Keen would have been safely on his way home instead of lying on a milk store floor with a bullet hole in his stomach.

Keen had watched over the store since 6 p.m., substituting in off-duty hours as a store security guard.

He was scheduled to go home at 11 o'clock. But two robbers walked into the Lawson's Dairy Store, 884 Valley St., 15 minutes before he was to leave.

According to one of the two women employes working at the store that night, the shooter of the two robbers did most of the talking. The woman declined to have her name used.

"THEY CAME up to the counter," she said. "The tall one was shivering quite badly, so I said, 'It must be getting colder out,' although I didn't think it was that cold out yet, and he said, 'I guess so.'"

The short man, about five-foot-three, asked for fruit punch and the employe turned around to open the refrigerated storage area.

"That's when the short one pulled his blue hat down over his face and said, 'This is a robbery,'" she said.

SHE STARTED to get the money out of the cash register while another employe got a paper bag.

"He reached over the counter and took some money," she said. "He asked where the rest of it was and I said in the safe."

It was about this time the tall man, who was looking out the front window, said he heard something.

"I DON'T KNOW what he heard," she said. "Maybe he saw someone coming to the store or something. I didn't hear what he heard."

Keen, who was filling in for another detective who usually watched over the store, was watching from the back room. During the robbery, he was contacting Dayton police for assistance.

The woman said she heard nothing from the back room.

THE TWO robbers, carrying an undetermined amount of money, went to the front of the store and left. Keen had left the back room through a side door and had gone around the building to confront the robbers out front.

Details of what happened in front of the building have not been released by police, and the woman employe could not see what happened.

Although the store has two large windows, they were covered with sale posters. She said she remembers hearing at least two shots although she has been told since there were more.

(HER CAR, parked in front of the store, was hit twice — in the right rear door and near the radio antenna on the right front.)

"Then officer Keen came back in," she said. "He told us to call the police. The other girl here went into hysterics."

Keen then collapsed on the floor.

The robbers fled. Police are looking for a stolen car possibly involved in the robbery.

"THE police got here fast," she said. "There were a lot of them and they were all over asking questions and searching the neighborhood."

The woman said she has wanted to visit Keen in the hospital, but has been told visiting is limited.

"I wanted to thank him and tell him how badly I feel about it," she said.

Keen, 35, was shot once in the abdomen.

Keen is in fair condition at Miami Valley hospital's intensive-care unit.

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Police ask help to find car believed used in robbery

Dayton police yesterday asked for citizen help in locating a stolen car which they believe may have been involved in an armed robbery of a Valley Street dairy store in which a detective was shot.

The car was stolen from in front of 47 Notre Dame Avenue just prior to the robbery of the Lawson Milk Store at 864 Valley St. last Dec. 18, according to Lt. Richard J. Schulte, head of the detective section. Detective Robert R. Keen was shot while attempting to arrest the robbers.

Schulte described the car as a brown 1966 Ford Galaxy convertible with a black top. Ohio license plate number 7212 NS with a serial number of 8G65X 139572.

Anyone seeing, or knowing the location, of a car fitting that description is asked to contact Schulte, Sgt. S. F. Burneka or Sgt. E. H. Melson at the police department.

There is a chance the car may bear a different license plate now, police said.

"At first, we didn't connect the stolen car with the robbery," said Schulte. "But since it still hasn't turned up we are becoming suspicious it may have been involved in the incident."

Keen, who was off duty, was working as a store security guard when he was shot in the stomach while trying to apprehend two suspects outside the store, police said.

Keen is in good condition at Miami Valley Hospital. He may get to go home this weekend, but will not be able to return to work for several weeks, police said.

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Bandit's 1st Shot Probably Did Damage

By RON ROAT, Daily News Staff Writer

"I didn't feel it. I didn't know I was shot. I ducked behind the car immediately and fired back," said Dayton Police Det. Robert R. Keen.

Keen, 35, propped up in bed at Miami Valley hospital, described the Dec. 18 shooting incident that left him seriously wounded.

"It must have been the first shot that hit me," he said. "It just must have been, because I ducked behind the car there after the first shot. Only my head was exposed."

THE FATHER OF FIVE was shot after a holdup at the Lawson Dairy store at 864 Valley St. He was working in his off hours there as a security guard.

He was shot once in the lower abdomen when he confronted two robbers just outside the store. The bullet hit his bowel and his bladder and passed through his body.

Keen, substituting on a five hour guard stint for another detective, was sitting in a back room where he could see the service counter through the glass doors of the store's cooler.

FIFTEEN MINUTES BEFORE he was to go home, two men walked into the store.

"The short one pulled a seaman's cap down over his eyes and stuck a gun in the girl's face," Keen said. "I could see all this, but I couldn't hear what was happening because of all the machines running back there.

DET. ROBERT R. KEEN
Shot in Lower Abdomen

"The officer kept saying, 'Keen, lay down.' But I was afraid to. I was afraid if I did I would never get up. I was getting scared because I could now see the blood dripping from my pants leg."

"I called the dispatcher with the radio and told them about the robbery," he said. "Then I put the radio down, went out through the side door and went out front. I didn't want a shootout inside because of the girls."

WHEN HE REACHED the front of the building the bandits were still in the store.

"I peeked through the window and saw them turn and head for the door," Keen said. "When they got outside they were in a hurry. I said, 'I'm a police officer. Stop.'

"That's when the one turned and shot at me."

Keen fired back.

Police originally believed one of Keen's bullets hit one of the robbers because Keen saw him fall.

"I THINK MY second and third shots hit him," he said. "He fell down each time. But he got up and ran away in a hurry. I've never seen anyone run like that. He ran like a rabbit."

Both holdup men ran to the street and disappeared into the darkness.

"I went back inside," Keen said. "One of the women asked if I was hurt. I said, 'I don't know,' and I didn't know. All I knew was that I was in pain."

KEEN ASKED the clerks to call police. He couldn't because he left his radio in the back room.

"They were there fast," Keen said. "I was never so glad to see someone. I don't even know who the officer was, but he was a great help."

Keen gave the uniformed officer a description of the two men. He remained standing throughout the discussion.

"The officer kept saying, 'Keen, lay down,' but I was afraid to," Keen said. "I was afraid if I did I would never get up. I was getting scared because I could now see the blood dripping from my pants leg."

KEEN WAS SOON taken to the hospital.

"All the way there I thought I'd cashed in my chips. I was really scared. I was scared until the surgeon told me I was going to be all right."

He remained conscious until he was placed under sedation for surgery. When he woke up late the following morning, he was greeted by several detectives.

"I could talk then," he said. "But I wasn't very coherent."

Since then he has been reading stacks of mail and chatting with numerous visitors.

POLICE, WHO ARE normally reluctant to release details of a shooting, have not even released some of the details on Keen. He has been told to relax and "take it easy."

Keen is now able to walk around the hospital and sit and chat with visitors, but it is painful for him to stand or sit. His wounds are still stiff. He expects to return to work in six to eight weeks.

"I've gotten a lot of mail and a lot of it is from John Q. Public," he said. "Just people wishing me well and hoping I'm OK."

HE ALSO RECEIVED a letter from the mother of a man he sent to prison for life. Another phone call came from the mother of a homicide victim who asked him if he needed any [illegible]

Disciplining Ruled Out For Wounded Detective

Robert R. Keen the Dayton detective shot Monday night while trying to apprehend two robbers, was off duty filling in for another detective who worked at the Lawson's Dairy store as a security officer.

Keen, 35, attached to the homicide squad, was shot in the abdomen and is reported in fair condition today at Miami Valley hospital.

A HOSPITAL spokesman said Keen was in good condition following surgery and his condition has been reported fair and stable since then.

Chief Robert M Igleburger said many Dayton officers "moonlight" as security agents for Lawson's Dairy stores.

Igleburger and Lt Richard Schulte, chief of the detective section, emphasized that Keen will face no disciplinary action for the incident.

The statements were made in reaction to reports in Tuesday's Daily News which indicated that former Capt. E. Russell Guerre was once reprimanded for going after an armed suspect alone.

IGLEBURGER said Guerre was never disciplined, although there was public pressure to do so, and Keen will not be disciplined.

"I have no reason to believe anything he (Keen) did was wrong," Igleburger said. "There will be no disciplinary action whatsoever. He did what he had to do as a police officer."

Igleburger noted that Keen correctly chose to confront the two robbers outside the store at 864 Valley St. and not inside where employes could have been hurt.

Igleburger said police believe they have found the bullet that hit Keen. Officers are still searching for a car believed used in the robbery and shooting.

Keen has said one of the robbers fired first. Police will not say how many shots were exchanged.

SCHULTE SAID police are examining blood stains found at the crime to determine if two blood types are evident, which would indicate one of the robbers was shot.

Wednesday, Dec. 20, 1972
DAYTON DAILY NEWS

THE JOURNAL-HERALD
Tuesday, December 19, 1972

Detective shot; two men flee

A Dayton police detective was still in surgery early this morning after being shot last night when he attempted to stop two men suspected of robbing a Lawson's Milk store at 864 Valley St., police said.

Detective Robert Keen, 35, was part of a stake-out team which had been assigned to watch the store because it had been the frequent target of armed robbers recently, according to police.

Keen had confronted the two men outside the store at 10:45 p.m. when one of them shot him once in the lower abdomen, police said.

A MANHUNT was launched and police attempted to seal off the area, but it appeared early this morning that the suspects—one of whom was believed shot—had been able to elude them. Crews on the 4 p.m. to midnight shift were asked to work about an hour past the end of their tour before they were relieved.

However, a police source said that many of those getting off were volunteering to work on their own as the search for the suspects continued.

POLICE continued to comb the northern Dayton area for the suspects early this morning.

Hospital sources would only say that Keen's vital signs were stable and that doctors on the operating team were showing guarded optimism concerning chances of Keen's recovery.

One officer said the store had been "hit about three times in the past week or so" and Keen had taken a stakeout in case another attempt was made.

DAYTON DAILY NEWS
Friday, December 29, 1972

Det. Keen Leaves Hospital

Dayton Det. Robert R. Keen, who was shot Dec. 18 while trying to break up a robbery, was released this morning from Miami Valley hospital.

Keen, 35, is expected to spend six to eight weeks at home recovering from his stomach wound.

KEEN SAID earlier this week he does not intend to "waste" his time at home. He plans to have someone pick up his case load paperwork at the department and take it to him where he can finish up the details.

"I don't want to have to face all that when I get back," he said.

LEGEND: Insert N/A to the items below which are not applicable

PERSONAL DATA

1. LAST NAME - FIRST NAME - MIDDLE NAME	2. SERVICE NUMBER	3a. GRADE, RATE OR RANK	b. DATE OF RANK (Day, Month, Year)
KEEN, ROBERT ROGER	1511145	Sgt	1May57

4. DEPARTMENT, COMPONENT AND BRANCH OR CLASS	5. PLACE OF BIRTH (City and State or Country)	6. DATE OF BIRTH	DAY	MONTH	YEAR
USMC	Everett, Massachusetts		3	Jul	37

7a. RACE	b. SEX	c. COLOR HAIR	d. COLOR EYES	e. HEIGHT	f. WEIGHT	8. U.S. CITIZEN	9. MARITAL STATUS
Cauc.	Male	Brown	Brown	69"	150	☒ YES ☐ NO	Married

10a. HIGHEST CIVILIAN EDUCATION LEVEL ATTAINED	b. MAJOR COURSE OR FIELD
High School - 2	Academic

TRANSFER OR DISCHARGE DATA

11a. TYPE OF TRANSFER OR DISCHARGE	b. STATION OR INSTALLATION AT WHICH EFFECTED
Transferred to Marine Corps Reserve	H&HS-10,MTHC-10,MATSHC, AIRFMFPAC,MCAS,ELTORO,SANTA ANA,CALIFORNIA

c. REASON AND AUTHORITY	d. EFFECTIVE DATE	DAY	MONTH	YEAR
202-Expiration of Enlistment. Paragraph 10258 Marine Corps Manual & MCO 1900.2A		3	Aug	57

12. LAST DUTY ASSIGNMENT AND MAJOR COMMAND	13a. CHARACTER OF SERVICE	b. TYPE OF CERTIFICATE ISSUED
VMF(AW)-314,MAG-33, 3DMAW,AIRFMFPAC,MCAS,ELTORO,SANTA ANA,CALIF.	HONORABLE	DD-217-MC

SELECTIVE SERVICE DATA

14. SELECTIVE SERVICE NUMBER	15. SELECTIVE SERVICE LOCAL BOARD NUMBER, CITY, COUNTY AND STATE	16. DATE INDUCTED DAY	MONTH	YEAR
N/A	N/A		N/A	

17. DISTRICT OR AREA COMMAND TO WHICH RESERVIST TRANSFERRED

MARTC,NAS, Glenview, Illinois

SERVICE DATA

18. TERMINAL DATE OF RESERVE OBLIGATION DAY	MONTH	YEAR	19. CURRENT ACTIVE SERVICE OTHER THAN BY INDUCTION a. SOURCE OF ENTRY	b. TERM OF SERVICE (Years)	c. DATE OF ENTRY DAY	MONTH	YEAR
3	Aug	62	☒ ENLISTED (First Enlistment) ☐ ENLISTED (Prior Service) ☐ REENLISTED ☐ OTHER:	3	4	Aug	54

20. PRIOR REGULAR ENLISTMENTS	21. GRADE, RATE OR RANK AT TIME OF ENTRY INTO CURRENT ACTIVE SERVICE	22. PLACE OF ENTRY INTO CURRENT ACTIVE SERVICE (City and State)
NONE	Pvt	Cincinnati, Ohio

23. HOME OF RECORD AT TIME OF ENTRY INTO ACTIVE SERVICE (Street, RFD, City, County and State)
39 Holt Street, Dayton, Montgomery, Ohio

24. STATEMENT OF SERVICE		YEARS	MONTHS	DAYS
a. CREDITABLE FOR BASIC PAY PURPOSES	(1) NET SERVICE THIS PERIOD	3	0	0
	(2) OTHER SERVICE	0	0	0
	(3) TOTAL (Line (1) + line (2))	3	0	0
b. TOTAL ACTIVE SERVICE		3	0	0
c. FOREIGN AND/OR SEA SERVICE		0	0	0

25a. SPECIALTY NUMBER AND TITLE	b. RELATED CIVILIAN OCCUPATION AND D. O. T. NUMBER
6511 Aviation Ordnance Man	Ordnance Man 4-52.431

26. DECORATIONS, MEDALS, BADGES, COMMENDATIONS, CITATIONS AND CAMPAIGN RIBBONS AWARDED OR AUTHORIZED

Good Conduct Medal

27. WOUNDS RECEIVED AS A RESULT OF ACTION WITH ENEMY FORCES (Place and date, if known)

NONE

28. SERVICE SCHOOLS OR COLLEGES, COLLEGE TRAINING, COURSES AND/OR POST-GRADUATE COURSES SUCCESSFULLY COMPLETED

SCHOOL OR COURSE a	DATES (From - To) b	MAJOR COURSES c
Jacksonville, Fla.	8Jan55-18Mar55	Airman "P"
Jacksonville, Fla.	19Mar55-24Jun55	Aviation Ordnance "A"

29. OTHER SERVICE TRAINING COURSES SUCCESSFULLY COMPLETED

USAFI GED High School Level

VA DATA

30a. GOVERNMENT LIFE INSURANCE IN FORCE	b. AMOUNT OF ALLOTMENT	c. MONTH ALLOTMENT DISCONTINUED
☐ YES ☒ NO	N/A	N/A

31a. VA BENEFITS PREVIOUSLY APPLIED FOR (Specify type)	b. VA CLAIM NUMBER
NONE	c. N/A

AUTHENTICATION

32. REMARKS

Served aboard USS HORNET outside CONUS 7-120ct56
Recommended for Reenlistment.
ENTITLED TO $300.00 MOP "Z". PAID $100.00 MOP "Z" ✓

MILEAGE PAID $146.82 8/3/57 ✓
TOTAL PAYMENT $289.71 / 8/3/57

W [signature] DEPUTY OF XXXRAY WOODS, MAJ. USMC

33. PERMANENT ADDRESS FOR MAILING PURPOSES AFTER TRANSFER OR DISCHARGE (Street, RFD, City, County and State)	34. SIGNATURE OF PERSON BEING TRANSFERRED OR DISCHARGED
11305 E. Bolsa Ave., Santa Ana, Orange, California	Robert Roger Keen

35a. TYPED NAME, GRADE AND TITLE OF AUTHORIZING OFFICER	b. SIGNATURE OF OFFICER AUTHORIZED TO SIGN
S.G.SHAFER,1stLt,USMCR,Ass't CinC SepDec	S.G.Shafer

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MADISON 3, WISCONSIN

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SUBJECT: USAFI MILITAR TEST REPORT

9 27 1955

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COPY SENT TO: COMMANDANT OF
THE MARINE CORPS

TO: PFC ROBERT R KEEN
1511145
VMF 314 MAG 15
MCAS
ELTORO SANTA ANA CALIF

1. This is a military test report for a USAFI test completed by you. Copies have been forwarded as follows:
~~Army and Air Force Personnel: Your Commanding Officer and your I and E Officer.~~
Naval Personnel: Your Commanding Officer and the Bureau of Naval Personnel.
Marine Corps Personnel: Your Commanding Officer and Commandant of the Marine Corps.

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ROBERT JOHNS
DIRECTOR

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GED HIGH SCHOOL LEVL TEST

DATE TEST COMPLETED MO.	YR.	TEST #1 STD. SCORE	TEST #1 U. S. PCT'L	TEST #2 STD. SCORE	TEST #2 U. S. PCT'L	TEST #3 STD. SCORE	TEST #3 U. S. PCT'L	TEST #4 STD. SCORE	TEST #4 U. S. PCT'L	TEST #5 STD. SCORE	TEST #5 U. S. PCT'L	ACHIEVEMENT
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United States Marine Corps

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Certificate of Good Conduct

" SERGEANT "

ROBERT ROGER KEEN 1511145

Having conducted yourself in a creditable manner, you are, by direction of the Commandant of the Marine Corps, awarded a Good Conduct Medal FIRST AWARD

for the period 4 August 1954 *to* 3 August 1957

★ ★ ★

Your conduct during this period denotes honest and faithful service in keeping with the highest traditions of the Marine Corps

J. G. Shafer

S. G. SHAFER, 1stLt., U. S. M. C. R.

H&MS-10, MT&RG-10, MAT&RC, AirFMFPac, MCAS, El Toro, Calif. Ass't OinC Separation Sect.

UNIT

3 August 1957

DATE OF AWARD

DEPARTMENT OF THE NAVY, BUREAU OF NAVAL PERSONNEL

SERVICE SCHOOLS

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

This certifies that

ROBERT R. KEEN PVT 1511145 USMC

has satisfactorily completed the prescribed course of study at the

AIRMAN SCHOOL(CLASS P)

NAVAL AIR TECHNICAL TRAINING CENTER, JACKSONVILLE, FLORIDA

this 18th *day of* March, *1955*

Harry C. DeLong

Captain U. S. Navy, Commanding.

DEPARTMENT OF THE NAVY, BUREAU OF NAVAL PERSONNEL

SERVICE SCHOOLS

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

This certifies that

PRIVATE FIRST CLASS ROBERT R. KEEN 15111A5 USMC

has satisfactorily completed the prescribed course of study at the

NAVAL AIR TECHNICAL TRAINING CENTER, JACKSONVILLE, FLORIDA

AVIATION ORDNANCEMAN SCHOOL (CLASS A)

this 24th *day of* June, 1955

CDR USN U.S. Navy, Commanding

Honorable Discharge

FIDELI CERTA MERCES

from the Armed Forces of the United States of America

This is to certify that

SERGEANT ROBERT ROGER KEEN 1511145

was Honorably Discharged from the

United States Marine Corps

on the 3RD *day of* AUGUST 1962 *This certificate is awarded as a testimonial of Honest and Faithful Service*

B M Wells

B. M. WELLS

CHIEF WARRANT OFFICER-3, USMC

DD 256 MC 1 MAY 50 SN 0102-LF-002 3901

BRENDA JOYCE KEEN / MICHAEL ALAN COLLINS

b. June 28, 1957	b. April 30, 1956
p. Santa Ana, CA	p. Dayton, OH
d.	d.

m. Dayton, Ohio

Notification of Birth Registration REGISTRAR'S NUMBER 3000-5198

THIS CHILD	CHILD'S FIRST NAME: BRENDA	MIDDLE NAME: JOYCE	LAST NAME: KEEN	
	PLACE OF BIRTH: SANTA ANA		DATE OF BIRTH: JUNE 28, 1957	SEX: female
MAIDEN NAME OF MOTHER	FIRST NAME: Beverly	MIDDLE NAME: Ann	LAST NAME: Smith	
NAME OF FATHER	FIRST NAME: Robert	MIDDLE NAME: Roger	LAST NAME: Keen	

THE CERTIFICATE OF BIRTH OF THE ABOVE CHILD HAS BEEN REGISTERED WITH YOUR LOCAL REGISTRAR OF VITAL STATISTICS. IF THE INFORMATION IS INCORRECT OR INCOMPLETE, NOTIFY YOUR LOCAL REGISTRAR IMMEDIATELY.

MAILING ADDRESS: Mrs. Beverly Keen
110 W. First
Santa Ana, Calif.

Edw. Lee Russell, M.D.
HEALTH OFFICER AND LOCAL REGISTRAR
ORANGE COUNTY HEALTH DEPARTMENT

Malcolm H. Merrill
STATE DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC HEALTH
AND STATE REGISTRAR OF VITAL STATISTICS

STATE OF CALIFORNIA — DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH

Santa Ana Community Hospital
Santa Ana California

This Certifies that BRENDA JOYCE KEEN
was born to MR. AND MRS. ROBERT ROGER KEEN in this Hospital
at 7:14 P.m. on Friday the 28th day of June 1957

In Witness Whereof the said Hospital has caused this Certificate to be signed by its duly authorized officer and its Official Seal to be hereunto affixed

Chas. J. Kalinowski
Administrator

Alfred Carney, M.D.
Attending Physician

NOTES

KEEN GENEALOGY G13 PARENTS ROBERT ROGER KEEN AND BEVERLY ANN SMITH

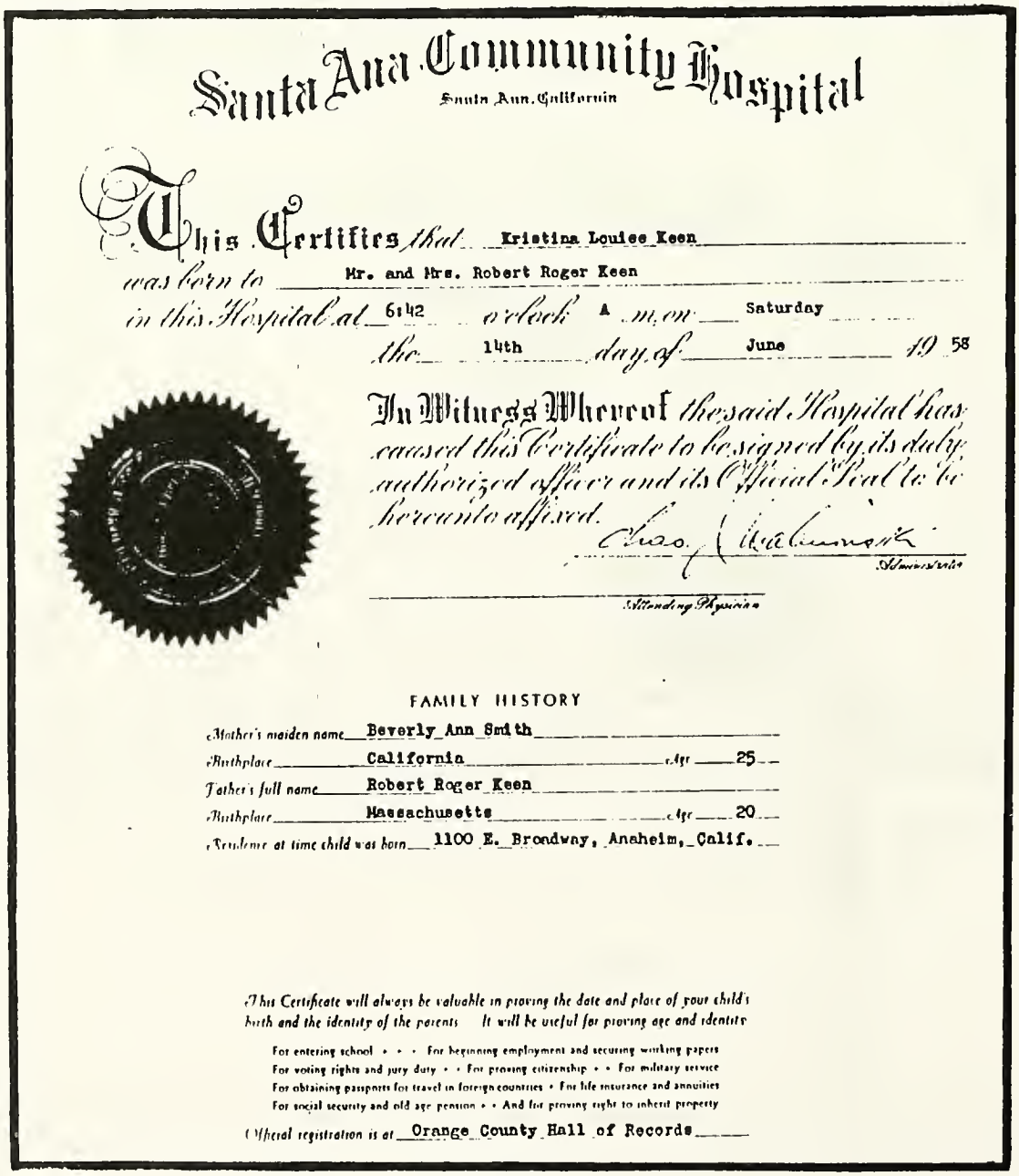
KRISTINA LOUISE KEEN / DAVID EARNEST MANN

b. June 14, 1958	b. July 12, 1953
p. Santa Ana, CA	p. Dayton, OH
d.	d.

m. 1. Dayton, Ohio

CHILDREN OF KRISTINA LOUISE KEEN AND DAVID EARNEST MANN

DAVID PAUL MANN	MICHAEL CHRISTOPHER MANN
b. July 31, 1983	b. January 21, 1985
p. Dayton, OH	p. Dayton, OH



Santa Ana Community Hospital
Santa Ana, California

This Certifies that Kristina Louise Keen
was born to Mr. and Mrs. Robert Roger Keen
in this Hospital at 6:42 o'clock A m. on Saturday
the 14th day of June 1958

In Witness Whereof the said Hospital has caused this Certificate to be signed by its duly authorized officer and its Official Seal to be hereunto affixed.

Chas. J. Walkowski
Administrator

Attending Physician

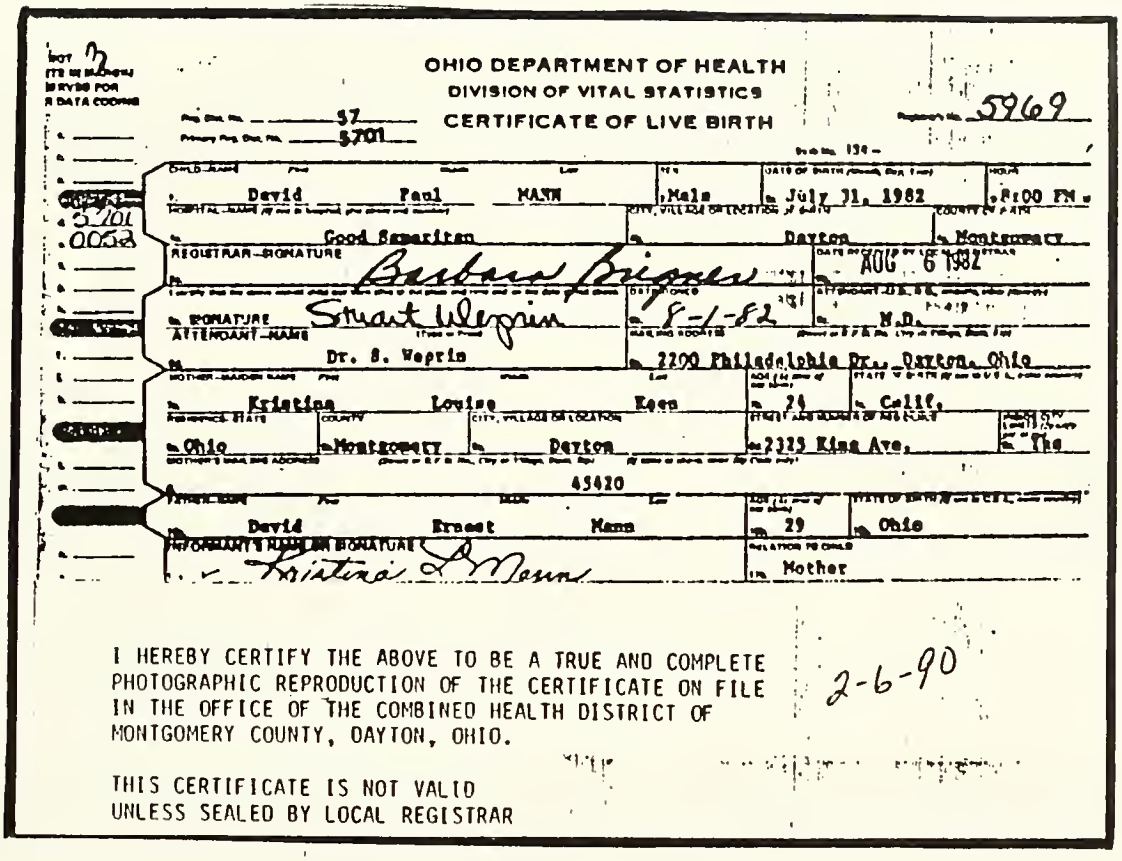
FAMILY HISTORY

Mother's maiden name Beverly Ann Smith
Birthplace California Age 25
Father's full name Robert Roger Keen
Birthplace Massachusetts Age 20
Residence at time child was born 1100 E. Broadway, Anaheim, Calif.

This Certificate will always be valuable in proving the date and place of your child's birth and the identity of the parents. It will be useful for proving age and identity

For entering school • • • For beginning employment and securing working papers
For voting rights and jury duty • • For proving citizenship • • For military service
For obtaining passports for travel in foreign countries • For life insurance and annuities
For social security and old age pension • • And for proving right to inherit property

Official registration is at Orange County Hall of Records



OHIO DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH
DIVISION OF VITAL STATISTICS
CERTIFICATE OF LIVE BIRTH

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David Paul MANN | Male | July 31, 1982 | 8:00 PM
Good Samaritan | Dayton | Montgomery
REGISTRAR-SIGNATURE Barbara Briggs | AUG 6 1982
SIGNATURE ATTENDANT-NAME Stuart Weprin | 8-1-82 | M.D.
Dr. S. Weprin | 2200 Philadelphia Dr., Dayton, Ohio
Kristina Louise Kenn | 24 | Calif.
Ohio | Montgomery | Dayton | 2325 King Ave. | Yes
45420
David Ernest Mann | 29 | Ohio
INFORMANT'S NAME OR SIGNATURE Kristina L Mann | Mother

I HEREBY CERTIFY THE ABOVE TO BE A TRUE AND COMPLETE PHOTOGRAPHIC REPRODUCTION OF THE CERTIFICATE ON FILE IN THE OFFICE OF THE COMBINED HEALTH DISTRICT OF MONTGOMERY COUNTY, DAYTON, OHIO. 2-6-90

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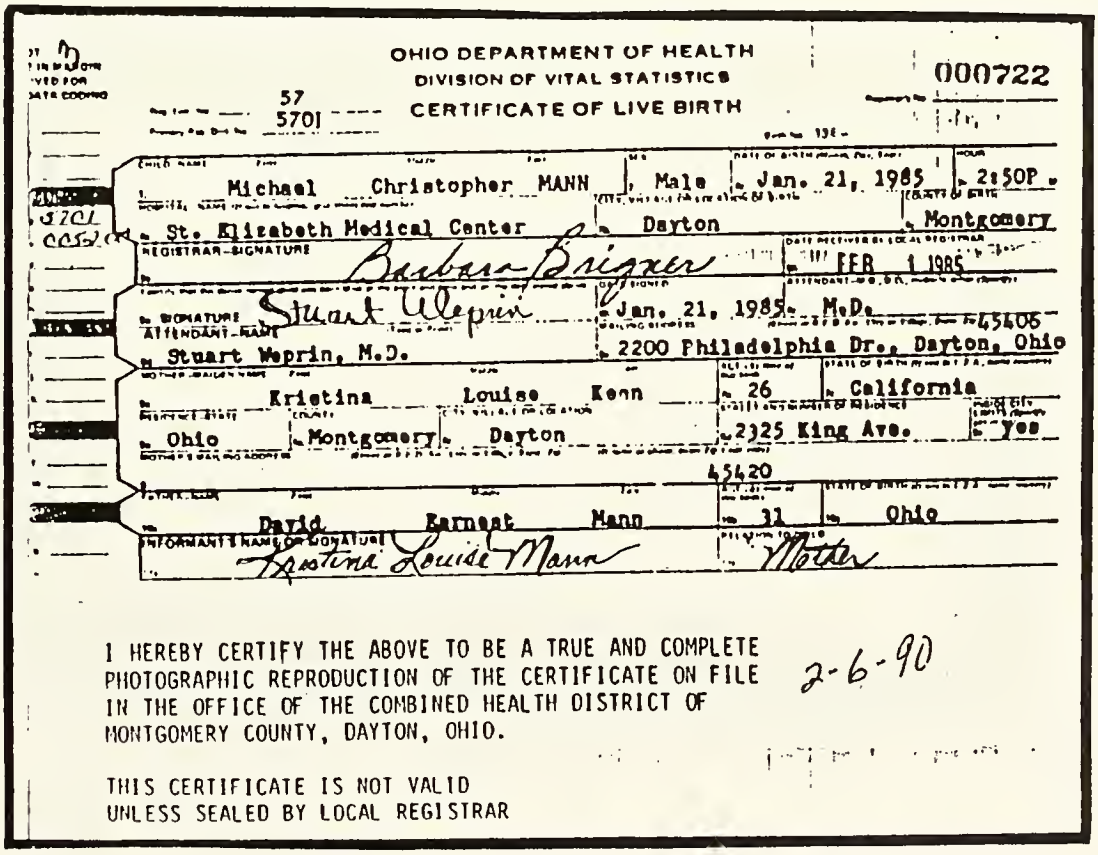

OHIO DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH
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CERTIFICATE OF LIVE BIRTH

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Michael Christopher MANN | Male | Jan. 21, 1985 | 2:50P
St. Elizabeth Medical Center | Dayton | Montgomery
REGISTRAR-SIGNATURE Barbara Briggs | FEB 1 1985
SIGNATURE ATTENDANT-NAME Stuart Weprin | Jan. 21, 1985 | M.D. | 45406
Stuart Weprin, M.D. | 2200 Philadelphia Dr., Dayton, Ohio
Kristina Louise Kenn | 26 | California
Ohio | Montgomery | Dayton | 2325 King Ave. | Yes
45420
David Earnest Mann | 31 | Ohio
INFORMANT'S NAME OR SIGNATURE Kristina Louise Mann | Mother

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WILLIAM ROBERT KEEN

b. May 6, 1960
p. Dayton, Ohio
d.

PAMELA KAY NELSON
b. January 21, 1961
p. Dayton, Ohio
d.

m.1

TERESA LYNN KAY
b. June 24, 1962
p. Maysville, KY
d.

m.2

CHILD OF
WILLIAM AND PAMELA
TIFFANY ANN KEEN
b. December 11, 1980
p. Dayton, Ohio

CHILDREN OF
WILLIAM AND TERESA
STEVEN THOMAS KEEN
b. November 11, 1989
p. Dayton, Ohio

MELISSA MAE KEEN
b. December 22, 1992
p. Kettering, Ohio

WILLIAM KEEN lived at 829 Lorain Avenue in Dayton, Ohio most of his young life and attended 8 years of schooling at Cleveland Elementary and from grades 9-12 attended Dayton Christian High School upon his graduation. While at DCHS, he began working at Dorothy Lane Market and since that time has worked there until date and is now assistant meat manager at the second store in Washington Square (1992). His daughter, Tiffany lives with her mother in Jamestown, Tennessee (1993) and he now owns his own home at 2304 Candlewood Drive, Kettering, Ohio 45419 (1993) living there with Teresa and Steven and Melissa.

COMBINED HEALTH DISTRICT OF MONTGOMERY COUNTY
DAYTON, OHIO

033193

Certificate of Birth

This Certifies, that

Registrar No. 010240

Name: TIFFANY ANN KEEN
Was Born At: ST ELIZABETH MEDICAL CENTER
Time: 05:30 PM On: December 11 1980
Sex: F

Mother: PAMELA KAY KEEN
Birth Place: OHIO
Maiden: NELSON
Age: 19

Father: WILLIAM ROBERT KEEN
Birth Place: OHIO
Age: 20

Record Was Filed: December 19 1980

4-22-92

Barbara Brigner, Registrar

THIS CERTIFICATE IS NOT VALID UNLESS SEALED BY LOCAL REGISTRAR
THIS IS A TRUE CERTIFICATION OF NAME AND BIRTH FACTS RECORDED IN THIS OFFICE.

ANY ALTERATION OR ERASURE VOIDS THIS CERTIFICATE

We are following the lineage of STEVEN THOMAS KEEN (G14)

Ohio Department of Health
VITAL STATISTICS
CERTIFICATE OF LIVE BIRTH

Reg Dist No 57
Primary Reg Dist No 5704
Registrar's No. 010154
Birth No 134 —

1 CHILD NAME (First, Middle, Last)			2 SEX	3a DATE OF BIRTH (Month, Day, Year)	3b TIME OF BIRTH
Steven	Thomas	KEEN	Boy	November 11, 1989	9:25 AM
4a FACILITY NAME (If not institution, give street and number)			4b CITY, VILLAGE OR LOCATION OF BIRTH		4c COUNTY OF BIRTH
KETTERING MEDICAL CENTER			KETTERING 45429		Montgomery
5 PLACE OF BIRTH ☑ Hospital ☐ Freestanding Birthing Center ☐ Clinic/Doctor's Office ☐ Residence ☐ Other (Specify)					
6 REGISTRANT'S SIGNATURE				7 DATE FILED BY REGISTRAR (Month, Day, Year)	
Barbara Brager				NOV 16 1989	
8a I certify that the above named child was born alive at the place and time and on the date stated above. SIGNATURE ►			8b DATE SIGNED 11/11/89	8c ATTENDANT - ☒ MD ☐ DO ☐ CNM ☐ Other Midwife ☐ Other (Specify)	
8d ATTENDANT'S NAME (Type or Print)			8e MAILING ADDRESS (Street or R.F.D. No., City or Village, State, Zip)		
Najwa Tabrah, M.D.			1382 E. Stroop Rd., Kettering, Ohio 45429		
9a MOTHER'S NAME (First, Middle, Last)			9b MAIDEN SURNAME	10A DATE OF BIRTH	10b AGE
Teresa	Lynn	KEEN	KAY	June 24, 1962	27
11 BIRTHPLACE (State or Foreign Country)	12a RESIDENCE - STATE	12b COUNTY	12c CITY, TOWN OR LOCATION		
Kentucky	Ohio	Montgomery	Dayton		
12d STREET AND NUMBER	12e INSIDE CITY LIMITS? (Yes or No)	13 MOTHER'S MAILING ADDRESS (If same as residence, enter zip code only)			
1012 Loraine Avenue	yes	45410			
14 FATHER'S NAME (First, Middle, Last)	15a DATE OF BIRTH	15b AGE	16 BIRTHPLACE (State or Foreign Country)		
William Robert KEEN	May 6, 1960	29	Ohio		
17 I certify that the personal information provided on this certificate is correct to the best of my knowledge and belief. Name or Signature of Parent or Other Informant ►					
William R Keen					

I HEREBY CERTIFY THE ABOVE TO BE A TRUE AND COMPLETE PHOTOGRAPHIC REPRODUCTION OF THE CERTIFICATE ON FILE IN THE OFFICE OF THE COMBINED HEALTH DISTRICT OF MONTGOMERY COUNTY, DAYTON, OHIO.

5/30/90

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Ohio Department of Health
VITAL STATISTICS
CERTIFICATE OF LIVE BIRTH

Reg Dist No 57
Primary Reg Dist No 5704
Registrar's No. 18
Birth No. 134 —

1 CHILD NAME (First, Middle, Last)			2 SEX	3a DATE OF BIRTH (Month, Day, Year)	3b TIME OF BIRTH
Melissa	Mae	KEEN	Girl	December 22, 1992	12:38 PM
4a FACILITY NAME (If not institution, give street and number)			4b CITY, VILLAGE OR LOCATION OF BIRTH		4c COUNTY OF BIRTH
Kettering Medical Center			Kettering 45429		Montgomery
5 PLACE OF BIRTH ☑ Hospital ☐ Freestanding Birthing Center ☐ Clinic/Doctor's Office ☐ Residence ☐ Other (Specify)					
6 REGISTRANT'S SIGNATURE				7 DATE FILED BY REGISTRAR (Month, Day, Year)	
Barbara Brager				JAN 4 1993	
8a I certify that the above named child was born alive at the place and time and on the date stated above. SIGNATURE ►			8b DATE SIGNED 12/2/92	8c ATTENDANT - ☐ MD ☐ DO ☐ CNM ☐ Other Midwife ☐ Other (Specify)	
8d ATTENDANT'S NAME (Type or Print)			8e MAILING ADDRESS (Street or R.F.D. No., City or Village, State, Zip)		
Art Altman, M.D.			1382 E. Stroop Rd., Kettering, Ohio 45429		
9a MOTHER'S NAME (First, Middle, Last)			9b MAIDEN SURNAME	10A DATE OF BIRTH	10b AGE
Teresa	Lynn	KEEN	KAY	June 24, 1962	30
11 BIRTHPLACE (State or Foreign Country)	12a RESIDENCE - STATE	12b COUNTY	12c CITY, TOWN OR LOCATION		
Kentucky	Ohio	Montgomery	Kettering		
12d STREET AND NUMBER	12e INSIDE CITY LIMITS? (Yes or No)	13 MOTHER'S MAILING ADDRESS (If same as residence, enter zip code only)			
2304 Candlewood Dr.	yes	45419			
14 FATHER'S NAME (First, Middle, Last)	15a DATE OF BIRTH	15b AGE	16 BIRTHPLACE (State or Foreign Country)		
William Robert KEEN	May 6, 1960	32	Ohio		
17 I certify that the personal information provided on this certificate is correct to the best of my knowledge and belief. Name or Signature of Parent or Other Informant ►					
Teresa L. Keen					

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KEEN GENEALOGY G13 PARENTS ROBERT ROGER KEEN AND BEVERLY ANN SMITH

CHARMAINE LEE KEEN / KEVIN EUGENE REMMY

b. July 26, 1962
p. Dayton, OH
d.

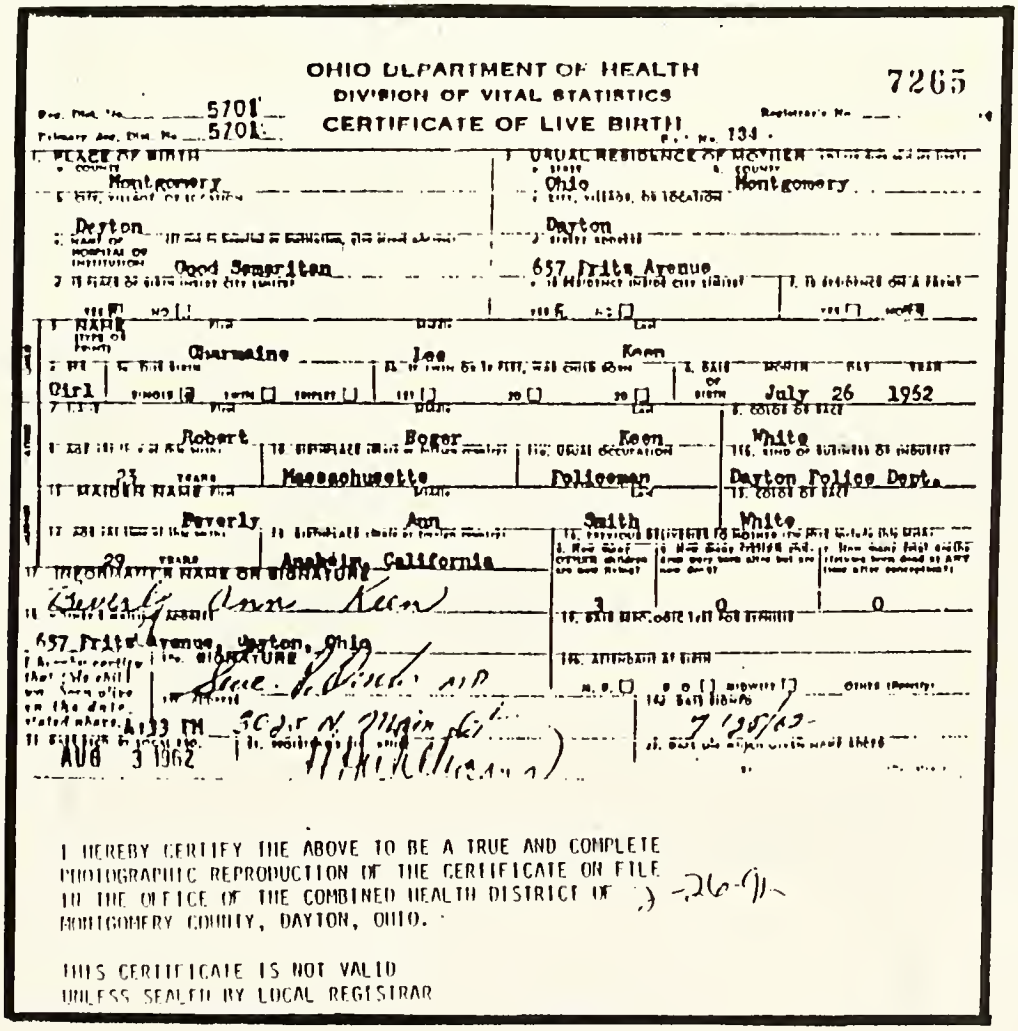
b. July 9, 1965
p. Delaware, OH
d.

m. February 7, 1990
Florence, Kentucky

CHILDREN OF CHARMAINE LEE KEEN AND KEVIN EUGENE REMMY

ROBERT FORREST REMMY
b. May 24, 1991
p. Dayton, Ohio

CASSANDRA MARIE REMMY
b. SEPTEMBER 19, 1994
P. Middletown, Ohio



OHIO DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH
DIVISION OF VITAL STATISTICS
CERTIFICATE OF LIVE BIRTH

7265

Reg. Dist. No. 5701
Primary Reg. Dist. No. 5701
Registrar's No.
P.O. No. 134

1. PLACE OF BIRTH
a. County: Montgomery
b. City, village, or location: Dayton
c. Name of hospital or institution: Good Samaritan
d. Is place of birth inside city limits? yes [x] no [ ]

2. USUAL RESIDENCE OF MOTHER
a. State: Ohio
b. County: Montgomery
c. City, village, or location: Dayton
d. Street address: 657 Fritz Avenue
e. Is residence inside city limits? yes [x] no [ ]
f. Is residence on a farm? yes [ ] no [x]

3. NAME (type or print): Charmaine Lee Keen
4. Sex: Girl
5. Date of birth: July 26 1962
6. Color or race: White
7. Name: Robert Roger Keen
8. Age: 23 years
9. Birthplace: Massachusetts
10. Usual occupation: Policeman
11. Kind of business or industry: Dayton Police Dept.
12. Maiden name: Beverly Ann Smith
13. Color or race: White
14. Age: 29 years
15. Birthplace: Anaheim, California
16. Previous deliveries to mother: 3 0 0
17. Informant's name or signature: Beverly Ann Keen
18. Mother's mailing address: 657 Fritz Avenue, Dayton, Ohio
19. Date of birth: 7/25/62
20. Signature: Steve [illegible] MD
21. Date of birth: AUG 3 1962
22. Registrar's signature: [illegible]

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COMBINED HEALTH DISTRICT OF MONTGOMERY COUNTY
DAYTON, OHIO

Certificate of Birth

000187

This Certifies, that

Registrar No. 005016

Name: ROBERT FORREST REMMY
Was Born At: ST ELIZABETH MEDICAL CENTER
Time: 09:34 PM On: May 24 1991 Sex: M

Mother: CHARMAINE LEE REMMY
Birth Place: OHIO Maiden: KEEN Age: 28

Father: KEVIN EUGENE REMMY
Birth Place: OHIO Age: 25

Record Was Filed: May 30 1991

10-16-91

Barbara Brigner, Registrar

THIS CERTIFICATE IS NOT VALID UNLESS SEALED BY LOCAL REGISTRAR
THIS IS A TRUE CERTIFICATION OF NAME AND BIRTH FACTS RECORDED IN THIS OFFICE.

ANY ALTERATION OR ERASURE VOIDS THIS CERTIFICATE

I hereby certify this to be a true and complete photographic reproduction of the certificate on file in the office of the Board of Health & Environment, Middletown City Health District, Middletown, Ohio, U.S.A.

OCT 28 1994

Date

Norma Jean Bolton
Vital Statistics Registrar

DELAYED CERTIFICATE

Ohio Department of Health
VITAL STATISTICS
CERTIFICATE OF LIVE BIRTH
TYPE OR PRINT IN PERMANENT BLACK INK

Reg Dist No 0902
Primary Reg Dist No 0902
Registrar's No 7994
Birth No 134

CASSANDRA MARIE REMMY	FEMALE	SEPTEMBER 19, 1994	2:35A. M
Middletown Regional Hospital	Middletown	Butler	

☒ Hospital ☐ Freestanding Birthing Center ☐ Clinic/Doctor's Office ☐ Residence ☐ Other (Specify)

Norma Jean Bolton — October 24, 1994

Charles L Hageman — 10/9/94

Charles L. Hageman M.D. — 1005 Sherman Ave. Middletown, Ohio 45044

Charmaine Lee Remmy	Keen	July 26, 1962	32
Ohio	Ohio	Butler	Middletown
1984 Hummingbird Circle	☐ Yes ☐ No	45044	
Kevin Eugene Remmy	July 9, 1965	29	Ohio

Charmaine Remmy

KEEN GENEALOGY G13 PARENTS ROBERT ROGER KEEN AND BEVERLY ANN SMITH

JULIA MARGARET KEEN / JEFFREY WAYNE SCOTT

b. September 24, 1963	b. April 27, 1961
p. Dayton, Ohio	p. Cordell, Oklahoma
d.	d.

m. WPAFB-Dayton, Ohio

OHIO DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH
DIVISION OF VITAL STATISTICS
CERTIFICATE OF LIVE BIRTH

9186

Reg. Dist. No. 5701
Primary Reg. Dist. No. 5701
Registrar's No.
Birth No. 134

1. PLACE OF BIRTH
a. County: Montgomery
b. City, village, or location: Dayton, Ohio
c. Name of hospital or institution: Good Samaritan
d. Is place of birth within city limits: yes ☐ no ☐

2. USUAL RESIDENCE OF MOTHER
a. State: Ohio
b. County: Montgomery
c. City, village, or location: Dayton
d. Street address: 829 Loraine Ave.
e. Is residence within city limits: yes ☐ no ☐
f. Is residence on a farm: yes ☐ no ☐

3. NAME (type or print): Julia Margaret Keen
4. Sex: girl
5. Date of birth: September 24 1963
6. Name: Robert Roger Keen
7. Age: 26 years
8. Color or race: white
9. Birthplace: Everett, Mass.
10. Usual occupation: Policeman
11. Kind of business or industry: City of Dayton
12. MAIDEN NAME: Beverly Ann Smith
13. Color or race: white
14. Age: 30 years
15. Birthplace: Anaheim, Cal.
16. Previous deliveries to include this birth: 4 / 0 / 0
17. INFORMANT'S NAME OR SIGNATURE: Beverly A. Keen
18. Address: 829 Loraine Ave., Dayton O.
19. Date of birth: 26 Sept 63
20. Date filed: SEP 27 1963

I hereby certify that this child was born alive on the date stated above.

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JAMES AGE 50

JAMES WALTER KEEN / GLENDA FAYE STULTS

b. August 14, 1939
p. Everett, MA
d.

b. November 20, 1943
p. Grimsley, TN
d.

m. Dayton, OH
Divorced - remarried
Jerry Craft

CHILD OF JAMES WALTER KEEN AND GLENDA FAYE STULTS

BARBARA LYNN KEEN
b. February 27, 1971
p. Dayton, OH

James and Glenda divorced and James moved to Las Vegas, Nevada and is living there at this time (1993). James served in the US Marine Corps from June 27, 1957 to June 27, 1960. He was honorably discharged.

NOTES

KEEN GENEALOGY G12 PARENTS ERNEST HOWELL KEEN AND NANCY LILLIAN SMALL (Hannah)

PAUL GORDON KEEN / INGRID BREINLING

b. June 9, 1941	b. October 21, 1941
p. Everett, MA	p. Sinzheim-Buhl, W. Germany
d.	d.
	m. West Germany

CHILDREN OF PAUL GORDON KEEN AND INGRID BREINLING

KAREN LOUISE KEEN
b. January 7, 1961
p. Heidelburg, W. Germany
d.

m.

DAVID KARL KEEN
b. April 2, 1971
p. Dayton, OH
d.

m.

GRANDCHILDREN OF PAUL GORDON KEEN AND INGRID BREINLING

PARENTS: KAREN LOUISE KEEN AND ROBBIN WASMUTH

JESSICA KAREN WASMUTH
b. September 20, 1983
p. Dayton, OH

PARENTS: DAVID KARL KEEN AND REGINA ANN KUZMINSKI

DYLAN MICHAEL KEEN
b. September 10, 1992
P. Kettering, OH

Paul was in the US Army (# RA18561361) from October 1958 to October 1965 and was discharged honorably as a Sergeant. He met Ingrid while stationed in W. Germany, they married, had Karen in W. Germany, and David was born after they settled in Dayton, OH. They were later divorced. Paul was a letter carrier for the US Postal Service and retired from that job on a pension in October of 1992.

NOTES

PAUL AGE 50

JANICE LRAE KEEN / ANTHONY F. ELACQUA

b. January 11, 1945	b. April 16, 1939
p. Boston, MA	p. Dorchester, MA
d.	d.

CHILDREN OF JANICE LRAE KEEN AND ANTHONY F. ELACQUA

MARK WILLIAM ELACQUA	MICHAEL ANTHONY ELACQUA	SCOTT CHRISTOPHER ELACQUA
b. June 7, 1961	b. October 12, 1963	b. April 5, 1965
p. Boston, MA	p. Quincy, MA	p. Quincy, MA
d.	d.	d.
m.	m.	m.

Janice and Tony moved south in their early marriage years, Tony working for Delta Airlines out of Atlanta, Georgia for many years and will retire from that company. Janice got into the real estate business, becoming very successful. They are living in Marietta, GA (1993). All three of her sons live in the Atlanta Marietta area. (1993)

NOTES

JANICE AGE 45

MAUREEN AGE 48

MAUREEN JOYCE KEEN / JOSEPH BRICE GINES

b. December 5, 1946	b. August 29, 1946
p. Boston, MA	p. Havana, Cuba
d.	d.
m.	

CHILD OF MAUREEN JOYCE KEEN AND JOSEPH BRICE GINES

JOSEPH EDWARD GINES
b. March 29, 1966
p. Boston, MA
d.

m.

Maureen and Joseph's marriage did not last long and they divorced. Maureen married twice more, Pagel, and then to Dennis Dunlea. Her and Dennis living in Weymouth, MA (1993).

NOTES

KEEN GENEALOGY G12 PARENTS ERNEST HOWARD KEEN AND MILDRED IDA COMER

JACQUELINE RAE KEEN

RUDOLPH MARTEL MUNDAY
b. September 17, 1946
p. Dayton, OH
d.

MICHAEL PROUTY
no further information

CHILDREN OF JACQUELINE RAE KEEN AND RUDOLPH MARTEL MUNDAY

TONYA LYNN MUNDAY
b. January 30, 1976
p. Dayton, OH

SYLVANA RAE MUNDAY
b. January 9, 1979
p. Dayton, OH

CHILD OF JACQUELINE RAE KEEN AND MICHAEL PROUTY

ERIN AMANDA KEEN
b. January 7, 1987
p. Dayton, OH

CHILD OF JACQUELINE RAE KEEN

JUSTIN KYLE KEEN
b. June 1, 1985
p. Dayton, OH

Jacqueline was the daughter of my father and his fifth wife, Mildred Comer. She was living in Dayton, OH with her children in 1992.

NOTES

KEEN REUNION DAYTON, OHIO JULY 1972

STANDING L-R (inset) Ernest jr, Gilda, Betty, Donald, Maureen, Patricia, Janice
LOWER L-R Paul, James, Hannah (Nancy), Bert, and Robert

ROBERT and BEVERLY KEEN - 1988
THEIR CHILDREN - BRENDA, WILLIAM, JULIA, KRISTINA AND CHARMAINE - 1981

MILITARY SERVICE

CHILDREN OF ERNEST and NANCY KEEN

EVERETT, MASSACHUSETTS

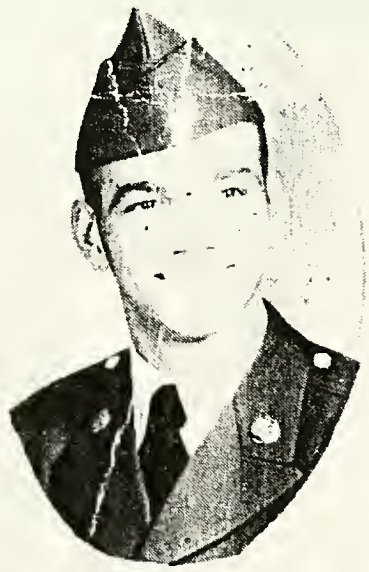
ERNEST HOWELL KEEN, JR.
U.S. NAVY - SERIAL # 7519015
1/30/46 - 1/14/49

DONALD EDWARD KEEN
U.S. ARMY - CAREER MAN
RETIRED AS MAJOR IN 1970

CAROL BERTRAM KEEN
U.S. ARMY - SERIAL # US 52269723
CORPORAL 3/53 - 3/55

ROBERT ROGER KEEN
U.S. MARINE CORPS - SERIAL# 1511145
SERGEANT - 8/54 - 8/57

JAMES WALTER KEEN
U.S. MARINE CORPS
6/57 - 6/80



PAUL GORDON KEEN
U.S. ARMY - SERIAL # RA 18561361
SGT. 10/58 - 10/65

OBITUARIES

OBITUARY
MORNING STAR NEWSPAPER
MAINE MARCH 24, 1841

In Poland, February 15, Mr. Seth Keen of Oxford, in the 54th year of his age. The circumstances attending bro. Keen's death were very solemn and affecting. While he was engaged in the woods, in the company with his son, in loading logs, one of the chains gave way, and a log fell on his head, which bruised it in a most shocking manner. Medical aid was immediately procured, but to no effect; he lingered in great agony during six days when death freed him from all his sufferings. The subject of this notice experienced religion many years since, and united with the F.W. Baptist church in Poland, of which he remained a faithful and devoted member, till he was called (as we doubt not) to join the church in that happy world where death can never enter. His voice was frequently heard in the congregation, and his fervent prayers and exhortations will not soon be forgotten. In this dark and mysterious dispensation of Providence, the wisdom of whose ways are beyond human comprehension, an affectionate wife has been called to part with a kind husband and ten children with a tender and provident father.
At his funeral, a discourse was delivered by the writer to a large and attentive congregation, from Matt. 24:44, after which, his mortal remains were followed to the silent tomb, by a numerous train of weeping relatives. But the prayer of the writer is, that they may learn to trust the Lord where they cannot trace him and, indeed, Be also ready, for in such an hour as ye think not the son of man cometh.

JAMES LIBBY.

This obituary was found in the micro film library at Bates College in Lewiston, Maine I received a copy with several obituaries on the page and it appears that the Pastor of a church (or a deacon) delivered a eulogy in the newpaper during those times. JAMES LIBBY gave another eulogy (obituary) just below this one on Seth Keen and again mentioned the F.W. (Free Will) Baptist church.

DEATH ANNOUNCEMENT
BANGOR (MAINE) DAILY NEWS
BANGOR DAILY COMMERCIAL
BOTH ON AUGUST 30, 1926

The death of MARY S. KEENE, widow of JOSEPH R. KEENE, occurred on Saturday at 85 Parkview avenue, aged 78 years. She was a native of Veazie. The burial will be in Everett, Mass.

(NO OBITUARY FOUND)

DEATHS AND FUNERALS

Funeral services for Miss Catherine Kavanaugh will be held in St. Mary's church at 9 o'clock this morning.

The funeral of John J. Doyle will be in St. Mary's church this morning at 8 o'clock.

The death of Mrs. Mary S. Keene, widow of Joseph R. Keene occurred on Saturday at 85 Park View avenue, in her 78th year. She was a native of Veazie. The burial will be in Everett, Mass.

OBITUARIES

DAYTON DAILY NEWS
TUESDAY, JANUARY 30, 1979

KEEN, Ernest Howell Sr., age 74, of 4626 Freudenberger Ave., passed away Sunday. Born in Everett, Mass. Mr. Keen was retired from the Schriber Sheet Metal Co. as a Trucker. He was preceded in death by his son, Ernest H. Jr. in February 1978. Survived by his wife, Dorthea; 11 children, Gilda McCauley, Betty Moscaritolo and Maureen Pagel, all of Boston, Mass., Janice Elacqua, of Atlanta, Ga., Donald and James Keen, both of Las Vegas, Nevada, Bertram, Robert and Paul Keen, Patricia Washburn and Jacqueline Munday, all of Dayton. Services will be held Thursday. Prayers at the Walter Funeral Home, 1235 N. Main St. at 9:30 a.m. Mass of Christian Burial at Precious Blood Church at 10 a.m. Interment Memorial Park Cemetery. Friends may call at the funeral home 7 to 9 p.m. Wednesday.

DAYTON DAILY NEWS
APRIL 27, 1992

01 Obituaries

KEEN, Dorothea A. (Schneider), age 59, of Dayton, died Monday at Good Samaritan Hospital. She was a Nurses Aide at Maria Joseph Home & member of Precious Blood Catholic Church. Preceded in death by her husband, Ernest. Survived by her father, Alfons Schneider of Dayton; step-children, Mrs. James (Patricia) Stonerock of Union, Bertram Keen, Robert Keen, Paul Keen & Jackie Keen, all of Dayton; 1 sister, Mrs. Arthur (Mary Louise) Young of Martinsville, OH; 1 brother, William R. Schneider of Tipp City. Mass of Christian Burial, 10 A.M. Friday Precious Blood Catholic Church, Salem Ave. Burial in Memorial Park Cemetery. Visitation will be 7-9 P.M Thursday at Frings & Bayliff Funeral Home, Tipp City. Contributions may be made to the Leukemia Society.

WORCESTER
MASSACHUSETTS
TELEGRAM & GAZETTE, TUESDAY, JUNE 2, 1992

Violet M. Augustus, 85

Violet M. (Keen) Augustus, 85, of 19K Goldthwaite Road died yesterday in her home after an illness.

Her husband, Megas Michael Augustus, died in 1979. She leaves two sons, Edward M. Augustus of Worcester and George A. Augustus of Columbiaville, Mich.; a daughter, Barbara V. Augustus of Worcester; a sister, Ora Wallace of Malden; six grandchildren; nephews and nieces. She was born in Everett, daughter of Edward S. and Bessie M. (Towle) Keen, and lived here many years.

Mrs. Augustus

She was a stitcher at Brite Cleaners & Launderers for many years, retiring in 1984.

Mrs. Augustus was a member of Wesley United Methodist Church and past president of the Winslow Street School Parent-Teacher Association.

Funeral services will be held at 10 a.m. Thursday in O'Connor Brothers Funeral Home, 592 Park Ave. Burial will be in Worcester County Memorial Park, Paxton. Calling hours at the funeral home are 6 to 9 p.m. tomorrow. Flowers may be sent, or memorial contributions made to the Hospice Program, Visiting Nurse Association of Central Masschusetts, 120 Thomas st., Worcester, 01608.

IN LOVING MEMORY OF

DOROTHEA A. (SCHNEIDER) KEEN
Born: November 13, 1932 - Piqua, Ohio
Died: April 27, 1992 - Dayton, Ohio
Mass of Christian Burial
10:30 a.m., Friday, May 1, 1992
Precious Blood Catholic Church
Dayton, Ohio
Memorial Park Cemetery
Dayton, Ohio

OBITUARIES

Memorial Obituary

DAYTON DAILY NEWS
SEPTEMBER 10, 1992
THURSDAY

KEEN/DURNING, Nancy, 88, a former resident of Dayton, Ohio, died on September 8, 1992 in Brookline, Massachusetts. She was born Hannah Lillan Small in Lewisporte, Newfoundland. She was preceded in death by a son, Ernest Keen; Jr. of Philadelphia, PA. and the father of her children, Ernest Keen, Sr. She is survived by sons, Donald and James Keen of Las Vegas, NV, Bert, Robert, Paul Keen of Dayton, OH; daughters, Gilda McCauley, Betty Moscaritolo, Maureen Dunlea of Boston, MA, Patricia Stonerock of Dayton, OH, Janice Elacqua of Marietta, GA. and by her brother, Garland Small of Deer Lake, NFLD, Canada. Also survived by 37 grandchildren and 50 great grandchildren. No flowers please. Donations to Alzheimer's Foundation would be appreciated. Burial arrangements by Bell-O'Dea Funeral Home, Brookline, MA. Burial in West Roxbury, MA

THE BOSTON GLOBE
THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 10, 1992

DURNING – In Brookline, Sept. 8, 1992, Nancy L. (Keen) (Small). Beloved wife of the late Chester Durning. Mother of Gilda N. McCauley of Peabody, Bessie V. Moscaritolo of Brookline, Donald E. Keen and James W. Keen of Las Vegas, NV, C. Bertram Keen, Patricia A. Stonerock, Robert R. Keen, and Paul G. Keen, all of Dayton, OH, Janice Elacqua of Georgia, Maureen J. Dunlea of Weymouth and the late Ernest H. Keen, jr of PA. Sister of Garland Small of Canada. Also survived by many grandchildren and great-grandchildren. Funeral Services will be held on Friday morning at 11:00 in the Bell-O'Dea Funeral Home, 376 Washington St., BROOKLINE. Relatives and friends are kindly invited. Visiting hours Wed. 7-9 and Thurs. 2-4, 7-9. Interment Gethsemane Cemetery.

In Loving Memory of

ERNEST H. KEEN, JR.

Died February 14, 1978

Let us Pray

Almighty God, through the death of Your Son on the cross, you have overcome death for us. Through his burial and resurrection from the dead you have made the grave a holy place and restored to us eternal life. We pray for those who died believing in Jesus and are buried with him in the hope of rising again. God of the living and the dead, may those who faithfully believed in you on earth praise you for ever in the joy of heaven. We ask this through Christ our Lord.

Amen.

CARTO FUNERAL HOME
2214 South Broad Street 465-9577

OBITUARIES

ERNEST KEEN'S HALF-SISTER
nee SMITH

THE BOSTON SUNDAY GLOBE
SEPTEMBER 13, 1992

WALLACE-Of Malden, Sept. 12, Ora C.L. (Smith). Beloved wife of Harold. Mother of Georgann DeTucci of Revere, Robert Corcoran of Everett, Harold Wallace Jr. of Somerville and Linda Dalley of NH. Also survived by 7 grandchildren and 1 great-granddaughter. Funeral Service will be held Tues. at 10 a.m. from the Henderson Funeral Home, 517 Broadway, EVERETT. Visiting hours Mon. 2-4 and 7-9 p.m. In lieu of flowers donations in her name to the Hospice Care Inc., 20 Academy St., Arlington, MA 02174 would be appreciated.

The Patriot Ledger
Fri., Sept. 25, 1992

Funeral procession

This subject is not about politics. Some people may not even think this is such a big deal, but my family does.

On Saturday, Sept. 19 my sister's funeral procession from Sacred Heart Church in North Quincy heading toward West Roxbury to the cemetery was shown no respect at all, (respect—a word a lot of us in this society have never seen or heard used in their life.)

While proceeding through West Squantum Street and Hancock Street, many people not paying any attention to the lights on the vehicles started to beep and cut into the line of cars. It also happened at Adams Street in Dorchester Lower Mills. May I add, swearing the whole time.

Well I want to say thanks a bunch for being responsible for half of the friends and relatives to be separated from the procession and never getting to the cemetery. Many of these people traveled from other states to be with us, and never got to say a final goodbye.

I know this has probably happened to other people. You should know how much more pain you who are responsible have caused.

NANCY COOK
Randolph

Thurs., Sept. 17, 1992
The Patriot Ledger

Susan Picariello, 40, mortgage manager

QUINCY — Susan M. (McCauley) Picariello, 40, of North Quincy, formerly of Dorchester, manager of the closing department at Ahmanson Mortgage Co. for two years, died Tuesday in New England Medical Center, Boston.

Mrs. Picariello was a closing superintendent for two years at Citifed Mortgage Co., Weymouth, and a former processor and receptionist for Hallmark Mortgage Co. for 18 months.

She was a member of the Merrymount Bowling League.

Born in Boston, she lived in Dorchester before moving to Quincy 12 years ago.

She is survived by her husband, Paul F. Picariello; three sons, Paul M. Picariello, Craig S. Picariello and Michael F. Picariello, all of North Quincy; her mother, Gilda (Keen) McCauley of Peabody; a brother, Dennis McCauley of California; four sisters, Sandra Toppi of Wilmington, Nancy Cook of Randolph, Kathy McCauley of Hingham and Jeanne McCauley of North Quincy. She was the daughter of the late Frank J. McCauley.

A funeral Mass will be celebrated at 10 a.m. Saturday in Sacred Heart Church, North Quincy. Burial will be in Gethsemane Cemetery, West Roxbury.

Visiting is from 7 to 9 p.m. Thursday and 2 to 4 and 7 to 9 p.m. Friday in the Keohane Funeral Home, 785 Hancock St., Wollaston.

Memorial donations may be made to Bargains Galore, 69 Billings Road, North Quincy 02171.

OBITUARIES

DAYTON DAILY NEWS
MARCH 9, 1988

WASHBURN, Brian E., age 27, of Dayton, died Tuesday at Good Samaritan Hospital as a result of a traffic accident. He is survived by his father, Edward H. of Dayton; mother & step-father, Patricia A. & James Stonerock; maternal grandmother, Nancy Durning, Boston, MA; sister & brother-in-law, Monica & James Stefanoff, Union; brother, Bart Eric, USAF, Japan; financee' Tammy Becker of Columbus and numerous aunts, uncles, cousins and dear friend, Barbara Staley of Dayton. Funeral services will be held Saturday 10:30 A.M. at Carrigan & Mains Funeral Home, 675 W. Wenger Rd., Englewood with Pastor Andrew Wright officiating. Burial Royal Oak Cemetery. Friends may call Friday from 6-8 P.M. at the funeral home. If desired, contributions may be made to your favorite charity.

Jesus, meek and humble of heart
make my heart like unto Thine.

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IN LOVING MEMORY OF

KENNETH M. KEEN
Born December 16, 1955
Died December 6, 1980
Age 24 Years, 11 Months, 20 Days

GENTLEST Heart of Jesus, ever present in the Blessed Sacrament, ever consumed with burning love for the poor captive souls in Purgatory, have mercy on the Soul of Thy departed servant. Be not severe in Thy judgment but let some drops of Thy precious blood fall upon the devouring flames, and do Thou O merciful Saviour send Thy angels to conduct Thy departed servant to a place of refreshment, light and peace. Amen.

May the souls of all the faithful departed, through the mercy of God, rest in peace. Amen.

BOSTON RECORD AUGUST 1944

SCHOOL SHOPPERS ROBBED BY WOMAN. Patricia Keen, 8, Bow st., Everett, and her brother, Robert, 7. Given a dollar by their mother for school shopping, Robert bought stockings and Patricia was supposed to get hair ribbons. A woman stopped them, took their remaining 50 cents and said she would be right back. When she failed to return, police were notified.

January 21, 1993
Advertiser-Democrat
P.O. Box 269, Advertiser-Square
Norway, Maine 04268

2. PERSONAL NOTICES

KEEN(E) INQUIRY I am seeking photos, documents, family lore of Seth Keen, b. , Hebron 8/17/1815 d. 1/23/1907 along with wife Susan Fernald Emery Keen, b. Hebron 9/14/1818 d. 2/11/1898, both buried Harrison, their son, Joseph R. Keen, b. Poland Spring, c. 6/1/1847 d. 7/21/1925 Somerville, MA and his wife, Mary S. Doughty b. 3/10/1851 d. 8/28/1926 In Bangor. Both buried Everett, MA Curiosity has got me. Robert Keen, 4601 Winslow Court, Dayton, OH 45432-3134. *2-R22458-3*

NO RESPONSE RECEIVED

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THE KEEN COAT OF ARMS HEREBY ILLUSTRATED IS OFFICIALLY DOCUMENTED IN BURKE'S GENERAL ARMORY. THE ORIGINAL DESCRIPTION OF THE ARMS (SHIELD) IS AS FOLLOWS:

"AZ. A TALBOT PASS. OR, ON A CHIEF INDENTED AR. THREE CROSSES FLORY SA."

WHEN TRANSLATED THE BLAZON ALSO DESCRIBES THE ORIGINAL COLORS OF THE KEEN ARMS AS:

"BLUE; EMBLAZONED WITH A PASSING, GOLD, FLOPPY-EARED HUNTING DOG; UNDER A SILVER CHIEF, THE DIVIDING LINE OF WHICH IS INDENTED AND ON WHICH ARE CHARGED THREE BLACK CROSSES, THE BRANCHES OF WHICH TERMINATE IN A FLOWERED SHAPE."

ABOVE THE SHIELD AND HELMET IS THE CREST WHICH IS DESCRIBED AS:

"A BLACK DEER'S HEAD, CHARGED WITH GOLD BYZANTINE COINS AND TORN JAGGEDLY FROM ITS BODY."